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RED ARMY TEN MILES FROM ODESSA German Divisions Surrounded

FURTHER Russian progress towards Odessa was reported in last night's communiqué.

This stated that over sixty places had been captured—one of them ten miles north-east of the port—and that between five and six German divisions north of Razdelnaya had been surrounded and were being wiped out.

The German report stated that Red Army attacks north of Odessa were unsuccessful.

Places captured in the Odessa direction include Kartal, 17 miles north-west of Odessa; Novaya-Dapinovka, 10 miles north-east of the port, and the railway stations of Koshkovo and Krimidovka.

The Red Air Force is taking a leading part in the battle for Odessa, states Reuter's special correspondent. With a sea of mud making the plains before the city almost impassable, General Malinovsky has switched a big weight of his striking force from artillery to bombers.

RELIEF ATTACK

General von Manstein has launched a relief attack from south-west of Tarnopol with powerful tank and infantry forces in a bid to break through to his encircled forces west of Skala.

As the Russian arc tightens on Odessa successive lines of defences are being smashed as quickly as they are manned. The main thrust on Odessa is developing from the north, with a subsidiary, but no less important, drive from the north-west. This second drive is now within 15 miles of the neck of the Dniester estuary, and threatens virtually to complete the encirclement of the port.

Most of the Russian advances are being made at night, when frost temporarily gives the muddy ground a firmer surface.

One of the jobs most valuable to the Russians in the Odessa battle is being done by the little U-2s taking messages and supplies to the front-line troops. These little planes are usually unarmed, and, in any case, are no match for a high-speed fighter. Their only defence lies in their ability to land at a moment's notice almost in the length of a tennis court.

Towards the borders of Hungary and Czechoslovakia crack mountain troops from the Caucasus are now moving up to play their part in the coming battles for the Carpathians.

In the past 24 hours the battle of the Proskurov "pocket" has risen to a high pitch of ferocity. Big German armoured and artillery forces have been thrown against the Russian encirclement ring, while inside the pocket the Germans still have big armoured forces available, and with these they are lashing out in all directions in an effort to loosen the Russian grip and fight their way through to their relieving forces.

The German commentator, Von Hammer, said last night:—"The gap in the German front between the Tarnopol and Cernauti areas has been closed." He added that a counter-blow had been prepared in the Skala area — claimed on Thursday to have been captured by the Russians—and said the German forces so effectively delayed the Soviet advance from the east and north-east that German reinforcements from the west had time to reach them on a broad front.

COMMUNIQUES

The Soviet communiqué last night stated:—

"During to-day, west of Skala our troops continued to wage battles for the destruction of the surrounded German grouping, and repelled attacks launched in an attempt to break through to the west. During the fighting in this area over 4,000 Germans were killed. Our troops captured five transport planes, Junkers 52s, 17 guns, 7 tanks, and 1,400 motor vehicles.

"South-west of Tarnopol our troops continued to repel attacks by strong forces of enemy tanks and infantry which attempted to break through to the encircled German grouping.

"In the Kishinev direction our troops, after two days' fighting, captured Orgeev, in the Moldavian Republic, an important German stronghold at the approaches to Kishinev.

"In the Odessa direction, Russian forces fought their way into Belyaevka and over 60 other localities.

"An important grouping of German troops, consisting of five or six divisions, has been surrounded north of Razdelnaya, and is being wiped out. During April 6th and 7th, in this area, the Germans left on the battlefield more than 5,000 dead, while more than 1,000 prisoners were taken.

"At the railway station of Vesely-Kut the Soviets captured 1,100 railway cars loaded with various equipment, including 74 railway cars with shells, 31 cars with aerial bombs, 81 cars with food and forage, and 50 with factory equipment, which the Germans were removing from Odessa to Germany.

"During the capture of Razdelnaya our troops took the following booty:—44 guns, 17 locomotives, 500 railway cars with military supplies, 6 railway trains, including 1 loaded with guns and tanks, and 2 with wounded German officers and men."

COUNTER-BLOWS

The German communiqué said:—"In the area north of Odessa and between the Dniester and the Pruth the Soviets attacked unsuccessfully. Enemy groups were smashed in counter-attacks by German and Rumanian troops, and numerous tanks, guns and heavy arms were destroyed

"North of Cernauti the attack of our divisions again gained further ground yesterday. In the Stanislavov-Tarnopol sector and south of Brody our troops, in an attack, broke enemy resistance and, repelling violent counter-attacks, threw the enemy further back.

"North of Kovel strong Soviet attacks failed. On the Narva front our troops broke into strongly fortified enemy positions, repelling counter-attacks."

The Finnish communiqué said that 35 Russian dive-bombers, with fighter escort, yesterday attacked the town of Kotka, causing casualties among the population and damage.—(Reuter.)

Bulgarian Port Occupied

GERMAN airborne troops from Salonica have occupied Varna, the largest Bulgarian Black Sea port, 245 miles by sea from Odessa, states a Reuter message from Istanbul.

Luftwaffe bomber and fighter squadrons previously based on Salonica have also arrived in the neighbourhood of Varna, which now appears to have become a German military area.

Pamphlet Shells in Beachhead

GERMAN propaganda leaflets showered into Allied bridgehead positions yesterday, when the Germans again attempted to break into the 5th Army perimeter in the vicinity of Carroceto.

There has been an indent in the perimeter at this point since the first major German counter-blow was absorbed there in February, and yesterday the Germans concentrated their fire on Allied frontal positions. They sprinkled pamphlet shells among the high-explosives—the first time they have used pamphlets in the beachhead.

None of the Allied positions was seriously affected by the concentrated German fire. Fires were started in German gun positions, and Allied tank destroyers silenced machine-guns and mortars just east of the main scene of action.

The Cassino area remained comparatively quiet.

Fifth Army engineers have started a vast drainage project in the area north of the Volturno River, as part of the malaria control programme for the coming summer. Many pumps and other equipment damaged by the retreating Germans have been repaired.

Three schooners, laden with arms, ammunition, and supplies, were captured and their crews taken prisoner by Allied light coastal forces among the Dalmatian Islands.

Yesterday's Allied communiqué stated:—"Our patrols inflicted casualties on the enemy on both the Fifth and Eighth Army main fronts and in the Fifth Army Allied bridgehead. Our artillery and tank destroyers in the bridgehead silenced enemy guns."

The German communiqué said:—"Our shock troops destroyed enemy pillboxes and wiped out an enemy strong point. The enemy suffered heavy casualties.

"Long range guns shelled the port areas of Anzio and Nettuno with good effect.

"The motorised A.A. regiment, No. 135, has shot down 500 enemy planes since the beginning of the Italian fighting."—(Reuter.)

German Merchant Ship Hit

A large merchant ship was hit by a torpedo, and two, at least, of the five escort vessels were left smoking and on fire when R.A.F. Coastal Command Beaufighters attacked a German convoy off the Norwegian coast yesterday, states the British Air Ministry News Service. All the aircraft returned safely.

When last seen the merchant ship was on fire.

The German News Agency stated that a mixed formation of about 15 Beaufighters and Lightnings "unsuccessfully" attacked a German convoy off the Norwegian coast, near Stadtlandet, with torpedoes, bombs and cannon. One plane was shot down.—(Reuter.)

King Victor's Pledge

A pledge by King Victor Emmanuel to delegate his powers to his son, Prince Umberto, immediately after the entry into Rome, was announced by Count Sforza and Signor Croce, Liberal Leader, at a meeting of the executive junta of the combined anti-Fascist parties at Sorrento, states Reuter's correspondent in Naples. Count Sforza and Signor Croce are demanding, however, that the King should fulfil the pledge without waiting for the re-occupation of Rome.

After a two-hours' meeting, the junta unanimously approved a resolution declaring that the constitution of an Italian war Government was of the most urgent necessity and desirable without waiting for the liberation of Rome. On Saturday the Communist Party announced its intention to waive the abdication demand.

Death Sentence on Sisters Commuted

The sentences of death passed on Rosaleen Shannon and Julia Shannon, sisters, of Drumdowney, Derrylin, at the Fermanagh Spring Assizes last month, for the murder of their niece, Nancy Shannon, aged three years, have been commuted to penal servitude for life. The executions had been fixed for Tuesday next.

Treason Charges

It is announced in Algiers, states an Associated Press cable, that Admiral Derrien, who has been accused of handing French warships at Bizerta over to the Germans at the time of the Allied landings in North Africa, will be put on trial on treason charges before April ends.

Parachute Hoax: Girls Sentenced

"A VERY deliberate, dangerous and very expensive hoax" was the description applied by District Justice Guy at a Special Ballina Court on Thursday to the conduct of two young women, who pleaded guilty to charges of making false and misleading statements, to the effect that two parachutists had landed in the Ballina quay district last month.

He sentenced the defendants, Maureen Corrigan (21), domestic servant, native of Crohsmolina, and Charlotte Brownlee (19), Knockleagh, Ballina, to six months and three months, respectively.

Mr. Thornton, State Solicitor, prosecuting, said that on St. Patrick's Day Corrigan, who was employed by Mrs. Gallagher, Quignashee, with the other girl, reported to the Gardai at Ballina that two men arrived at the house of her employer. On the surface they told what appeared to be a factual story, which went to show that the men were foreigners and were, in fact, parachutists. Following the statements, the forces of the State were set in motion, and the search for the parachutists continued for three days and nights, with enormous cost to the country and with as many as a thousand men employed.

A CONCOCTION

It subsequently transpired that the whole thing was a concoction, and they made statements to this effect. Tremendous annoyance had been caused to the public over the whole thing. It was difficult to account for their action, unless it was exhibitionism. Possibly they wanted their photographs taken and to be interviewed by high-ranking Army officers. Everybody knew the critical times we were living in, and appreciated the serious repercussions this type of thing might have. He had been instructed to press for a prison sentence.

In a statement made to Garda J. Rice, Corrigan said that two men called at her employer's residence and asked for a drink of water. They asked her questions about the Army, Volunteer Services, and said they were dropped by parachute. They refused to say where they came from. She then described the men in detail, and said they carried small guns at their sides. Brownlee made a similar statement.

Sergeant P. J. Lynch said that Corrigan later said the whole thing was arranged between herself ad Brownlee.

Mr. W. S. Huggard, solicitor, defending, said that Corrigan induced Brownlee to corroborate her story in detail.

Goebbels in Charge of Berlin

DR. GOEBBELS has been appointed by Herr Hitler to be sole head of the administration of Berlin. The German News Agency, making this announcement yesterday, stated that Dr. Goebbels will concentrate all administrative power in his person, particularly for the prosecution of the war. Dr. Goebbels' new title is "Town President."—(Reuter.)

Without the loss of a single plane United States Liberators escorted by Thunderbolt fighters attacked military objectives in the Pas de Calais area on Thursday, while other forces of Thunderbolt fighter bombers, escorted by more Thunderbolts and Mustangs, bombed German-held airfields in Northern France. Hangars, fuel dumps, flak towers, barracks and administration buildings were bombed and gunned. The Liberators met no air opposition.

Deutschlandsender announced at 11 o'clock last night that a number of planes were over North-West Germany, and single aircraft were approaching Western Germany.—(Reuter.)

Woman's Death Mystery

Dublin detectives are still making inquiries into the death from poisoning of Mrs. Margaret Leghman (*née* Hayden), a native of Kildare, who was taken to the Rotunda Hospital a fortnight ago and found dead on admission. Following a *post-mortem* examination by Dr. Dockeray, who could not trace the cause of death, certain organs were sent to the State Analyst, who, it is stated, found traces of poisoning. The child also was dead.

It is understood that the inquest will not be opened until the detectives have completed their investigations.

British Budget

With the raising of the ban on giving the dates of future sittings of the House of Commons it is now possible to state that "the first sitting day" after the recess will be April 18th, and that the Budget will be introduced on April 25th.

Fare for Good Friday. A Dublin baker takes a tray of hot-cross buns from the oven on Thursday afternoon.

TELEPHONE BAN WILL HIT DUBLIN HARD

THE ban on telephone calls from Eire to Britain is complete, except for Government business. The intervention of the holiday has prevented the full force of the British Order from being felt so far in Eire, as business normally would have been slow at this time; but it is expected that after Easter it will operate to the detriment of a certain section of business, particularly in Dublin.

A number of firms do a considerable amount of business with head offices and branches in England by telephone, and these will be driven back on the telegraph. The Dublin Stock Exchange will be in much the same position as it was before the introduction of the cross-Channel telephone, and buying of British shares will depend on the intelligence received from London by wire. This will be so slow, probably, that the prices may have changed again by the time Dublin gets its news.

All such business will be considerably hampered, especially as the censorship of telegrams is likely to add to the time taken for their delivery.

Industrialists say that the effect of the ban will be severely felt by certain firms in Dublin. Since the emergency began the delay in postal deliveries has driven these people to make wider use of the telephone, and now they are back to the old position from which the telephone saved them.

The slowing up of business in the cross-Channel branch of the trunk exchange of the Post Office will be offset by the increase in the numbers of telegrams sent, and the Post Office probably will have to increase the staffs in this section of the General Post Office and other central Dublin offices.

It was hoped in Dublin that urgent business calls, Press calls, and very urgent personal calls, might be exempted from the ban, but, so far as can be found here, the ban is complete and will remain so.

International Air Control

The representatives of the British and United States Governments have consulted together in preparation for an international conference on civil aviation, states the Lord Privy Seal's office, and they are of opinion that there is sufficient agreement between them to justify the expectation that final dispositions can be reached at an international conference. They have in mind that the Government of the Soviet Union and other Governments would likewise enter into conversations prior to such an international conference.

The Governments of the United Kingdom and of the United States have agreed that international control should govern a considerable field of technical matters, and they have made arrangements for continuing technical conversations for the purpose of reaching detailed agreement on the several aspects of this field.

Lord Beaverbrook represented the British Government, and presided. United States representatives were Mr. Adolph Berle, Assistant Secretary of State, and Dr. Edward Warner, Chairman of the United States Civil Aeronautics Board. Talks on similar lines have been taking place in Washington between representatives of the Soviet Government and the United States Government.

More Bombs on Balkan Cities

THE Allied air assault on strategic Balkan cities was continued on Thursday, the Allied communiqué announces. A heavy bomber raid was made on the aerodrome at Zagreb, while other aircraft of the M.A.A.F. attacked rail communications in Italy and Yugoslavia.

The small formation of escorted Liberators and Flying Fortresses which raided Zagreb encountered 120 Axis fighters, and shot down 16.

M.A.A.F. bombers struck at the Perugia airfield, the hydro-electric plant at Terni, and the two rail bridges north-west of Orvieto on the main double-track line from Rome to Florence. As a result of this offensive against rail targets north of Rome, 24 distinct breaks have been made in north-south rail lines.

Fighter bombers attacked about twelve bridges and a railway station at Capronica, twenty miles north-west of Rome. They also hit the station yards at Maccarese, between Rome and the coast. Three hits were scored on a chemical plant at Popolo, sending débris 3,000 feet in the air.

During all these operations 28 Axis aircraft were destroyed. The total Allied losses in 1,200 sorties were ten planes.

A British Air Ministry report yesterday stated: "On Thursday night Mosquitos of Bomber Command attacked Hamburg and objectives in the Ruhr and Rhineland. One of our aircraft is missing."

Japanese Six Miles From British Base

THE Japanese News Agency last night stated that Japanese forces were attacking Allied positions only six miles from Imphal, in India—the main British base for the Central Burma front.

Tokyo earlier stated that five powerful units were closing on Imphal; that their forces were menacing the Assam-Bengal railway after cutting the Kohima-Imphal road, and that airborne troops behind the Japanese lines were surrounded.

There is no confirmation of this, but a delayed Reuter message states that, while in the south and south-east the Japanese are nearly 40 miles away, in the north and north-east, only ten miles off, they are on the fringe of the Imphal plain.

The Japanese last night appeared to be preparing to launch their first main attack on Kohima, cables Sam Jackett, Reuter's special correspondent.

Major operations by the Japanese against their main objectives are regarded as imminent, he says. There is every confidence, however, in Allied quarters that both Kohima and Imphal, equally well defended, will withstand any onslaught.

Another correspondent says that the Imphal base is like an octopus slowly, but surely, drawing in its outspread tentacles before lashing out at the Japanese. The 160 miles march of the 17th Indian Division to Tiddim is a portent of coming events.

Admiral Mountbatten's Headquarters yesterday reported that British troops were in contact with a Japanese force which infiltrated slightly west of the Kohima-Imphal road, 40 miles inside India.

On the Arakan front, the eastern tunnel of the Maungdaw-Buthidaung road was captured, the announcement added.

Nine Japanese aircraft were shot down by Warhawks out of 32 fighter-bombers attacking an Allied aerodrome at Nanning, in the Province of Kwangsi, Southern China, states General Stilwell's Headquarters.

New Allied air blows at Hollandia, on the north coast of Dutch New Guinea, have completed the crippling of this air and supply base, says a Reuter cable from Allied Headquarters, South-West Pacific.

THE American Fleet Task Forces which raided Palau and other Japanese bases, starting on March 29th, sank 25 Japanese vessels, including two destroyers, Admiral Nimitz announced.—(Reuter.)

Admiral Nimitz's Pacific H.Q. states that Army Liberator bombers made a night raid on Wake Island, dropping 44 tons of bombs. Mitchells bombed Ponape Island, starting a large fire on an airfield. Runways and gun posts in four Japanese positions in the Marshalls were bombed and strafed.—(Reuter.)

Irish Priests in Burma

The part of Burma from which the Japanese are debouching into Manipur is part of the Bhamo Prefecture, the province assigned to the Maynooth Mission.

News recently received by the Department of External Affairs is that 21 of the Irish priests from this province are now in Mandalay, in Central Burma, under Monsignor Usher, and are housed in the Agricultural College. Two others, the Rev. Denis McAlindon and the Rev. James Stewart, are in the northern extremity of Burma, which is controlled by General Stilwell's troops. All the priests are reported safe and well.

The current issue of the *Far East* states that during last year a community of nuns with Irish members, the Franciscan Missionaries of Mary, was reported to be in Bhamo.

Mullingar May Have Airfield

The suggestion that Mullingar may have an aerodrome on a very extensive site near the present greyhound track was discussed by the Town Commissioners at their monthly meeting.

Mr. J. Carey said that he had been asked by an eminent engineer to bring to the notice of the Board that in the near future they might have an aerodrome in close proximity to Mullingar. The idea was not fantastic, and he proposed that they request the County Council to retain portion of the land beyond the greyhound track for the purpose.

Mr. J. J. Hoey pointed out that, as they had no definite proposal before the meeting, they could take no action, and it was decided that the Commissioners should do nothing until they received a proposal of the kind.

Mr. Montagu Norman's Successor

The Bank of England announce that, acting on medical advice, Mr. Montagu Norman has decided to retire from the Governorship of the Bank, a post which he has held continuously for twenty-four years.

The directors are proposing Lord Catto for Governor and Mr. B. G. Catterns for Deputy Governor for the ensuing year. The Chancellor of the Exchequer has agreed to release Lord Catto for this purpose from his present position as his financial adviser to the Treasury.

Dublin Needs More Police

The General Purposes Committee of the Dublin Corporation has appointed a deputation, consisting of the Dail deputies on the Council, to wait on the Minister for Justice (Mr. Gerald Boland), to urge on him the need for the more adequate policing of the city. Also, it will be urged that flying squads should patrol nightly the lonely, ill-lighted populous areas on the north and south sides in an effort to combat the wave of crime. The present strength of the police force in Dublin is approximately 1,200, while the population has risen to 500,000. The strength of the force is virtually the same as it was 25 years ago, when the population was only little more than half what it is to-day. An additional 600 men would be necessary to solve the vexed problem, a reporter was told by a police authority. One way out of the difficulty, he said, would be to use the L.S.F. to a greater extent to reinforce the police, while recruits should be drafted in to Dublin from non-crime areas. Patrols should comb out the slum areas, and exercise the greatest vigilance in the added areas on the outskirts of the city. The trouble in operating police patrol cars was that, owing to the few cars now on the streets, they were readily identified. Above all, he added, outlying districts should be fully lighted. Another police authority expressed the view that some District Justices were too lenient in dealing with certain cases.

Jailed Men's Action May End Big Strike In Belfast

FOLLOWING the release last night of five aircraft workers serving sentences of three months' imprisonment for taking part in an illegal strike, there is good prospect that the 20,000 Belfast shipyard workers who have been on strike since Wednesday will return to work after Easter.

In the meantime, terms for a settlement of the shipyard engineers' strike at Belfast, which involves another 20,000 men, are to be put to the strikers by their union officials, with a recommendation for acceptance. The engineers, who are claiming a time-rate of 3s. an hour, have been out six weeks.

If the men on strike in the shipyards accept the agreement between the A.E.U. and Messrs. Harland and Wolff, there probably will be a full resumption of work after the holidays.

Most of the men employed in small ship repairing firms, who struck on Thursday in sympathy, were back at work yesterday.

CONFERENCE

The five imprisoned men were set free after entering into bail for an appeal against their sentences. They had been persuaded to sign the bonds earlier yesterday during a three hours' conference in prison with Mr. J. Beattie, M.P., and two representatives of Belfast Trades Council.

It was the imprisonment of these men that brought out on strike the 20,000 shipyard workers who are not involved in the dispute about engineers' wages.

Following the conference with the imprisoned men, the following statement by Mr. F. C. Fitzpatrick, of the Executive Council of the A.E.U., was issued:—"We trust this development will permit all those who left work as a protest to resume their employment, and thereby assist the negotiations for a settlement of the strike."

Good Offer to Engineers

ALTHOUGH the terms offered by Messrs. Harland and Wolff—to be considered to-day by a mass meeting of engineers—are being kept secret, an "Irish Times" reporter learns that the new figures will represent 75 per cent. of the original demand, and that the wages then will be higher than those paid to similar workers in England.

The Executive members of the Amalgamated Engineering Union will urge the men to accept the terms, which, they believe, are the best that can be obtained.

Minister Warns Miners

Coal lost through strikes during the last four weeks has averaged 385,000 tons a week, declared Major Lloyd George, Minister of Fuel and Power, in the British House of Commons on Thursday.

Warning miners that strike action cannot be justified in time of war, he said that the Government could not stand aside to allow collective bargaining or the machinery of conciliation or arbitration to be weakened or destroyed. The position had improved this week, and about 50 per cent. of the Yorkshire pits were working.

All the pits at which miners are on strike will probably be operating when the special conference of delegates meets in London next Wednesday, writes the P.A. Industrial Correspondent. Resumption of work began at some Yorkshire pits on Thursday, and strikers at a number of other pits have decided to return to work after the holidays.

Most of the apprentices who have been on strike on Clydeside and Tyneside are expected to resume work by Tuesday or Wednesday. At meetings of the strikers on Thursday a "back to work" decision was reached.

FUEL CRISIS: TRAINS MAY BE FEWER

WITH the imposition of the British Government's embargo on coal exports to neutrals, Eire industrial concerns and public utilities enter on their most critical phase since the emergency. Gas undertakings will probably have to curtail hours of supply more drastically. The Electricity Supply Board may be forced to announce yet further cuts in consumption. A wholesale re-casting of train schedules is not unlikely. Irish shipping may be affected. Unemployment figures in the industrial sphere may reach a new level.

All over the country yesterday newspaper versions of Major Lloyd George's Commons remarks were being studied closely, as company executives sought to weigh up their implications for Irish industry generally. While not prepared to minimise the gravity of the situation, many of them, approached by our reporter, were inclined to be optimistic, pointing out that the embargo was probably only a temporary measure until the striking British coal-miners resumed work.

"Pending the publication of the full text of Major Lloyd George's remarks, it is rather too soon to comment on the matter yet," was the reply most frequently received.

Commenting on the embargo, Mr. J. J. Walsh, well-known industrialist, said: "We have not been getting coal, anyway. Some people call it coal, but the 'duff' now reaching this country is the merest kind of muck, and a very poor substitute for coal. It did, however, keep machinery going in a kind of way, but even if it were covered by the embargo—and I don't think the British Government will cease sending it to us—I cannot say that its absence would bring industry to a halt.

"Undoubtedly it would complicate matters, because many of our industries that have changed over to native fuel mixed this 'duff' with turf. Some of them were able to get supplies of anthracite, however. As I say, it is a poor substitute for coal, and our industrialists deem it poor treatment for England to give to one of her best customers. We imported something like 3,000,000 tons of coal per annum pre-war, and had expected that we would at least get a percentage of the coal available. That has not, however, come to hand."

Our London Correspondent states: The announcement in the House of Commons by Major Lloyd George, Minister of Fuel and Power, that exports of coal to neutral countries had been stopped came as no surprise in view of the present difficulties of transport, and the loss, owing to strikes, of over a million tons of coal of a quality essential to many factories. It should, perhaps, be mentioned that no element of sanctions whatsoever has entered into the decision to suspend exports, and that the Irish authorities are aware of the overriding difficulties here at this particular time.

The ban on the export of coal to neutral countries, announced by Major Lloyd George, Minister of Fuel and Power, in the House of Commons on Thursday, applies to Eire, the Press Association was told yesterday.

Asked if the ban included what are technically known as washery, flurry and settlings, a Ministry official said that he had no comment to make.

Major Lloyd George said in the House of Commons on Thursday: "Drastic steps have had to be taken to maintain essential services, and, in collaboration with the Minister of Production, I have had to impose cuts upon industrial users of gas and electricity of 25 per cent. and 10 per cent respectively, but necessary fuel supplies are being sent to vital factories on prepared lists. The movement of open cast coal has been increased by 18,000 tons weekly, and the export of coal to neutral countries has been stopped. So far, it has been possible to keep nearly all gasworks in operation, but the position of many is now precarious."

The Confederation of Trade Unions is taking much firmer action now than formerly.

It has announced that the Strike Committee has no power to negotiate or give instructions to members of the unions.

It advises all men to go back to work, on the understanding that everything possible will be done to have any injustice remedied.

Common Wealth Programme

COMMON WEALTH, laying its plans for the future, envisages joining forces with Communist and other Socialist groups in order to achieve unity of the Left, sidestep Transport House, and win 300 Socialist seats in the next House of Commons, states the Press Association correspondent in London, who added that this was part of the programme indicated at the party's four-day conference, which opened in London yesterday.

Changes were made in the party's constitution. Sir Richard Acland, M.P. for Barnstaple, ceases to be President, and becomes leader of the movement's parliamentary party of three. He said: "I don't want to be President, and Tom Wintringham does not want to be Vice-President. We do not want to have authority other than that possessed by other members of the National Committee."

After a debate the conference reaffirmed its policy of independence for India and the release of political prisoners. It was decided also to make a special drive to reach men and women in the factories and forces.

"Hypocrisy" About Irish Language

This was an example of the hypocrisy which was doing more harm to the language than was done by official Acts in a long number of years, said Mr. W. I. McCutcheon, Irish master, Bishop Foy School, Waterford, when at the annual meeting of Waterford Boat Club, a resolution that the club be called the Cumann Badoireachta Phortlairge was defeated. Declaring that if he wished to Gaelicise the boat club, Mr. McCutcheon said he would encourage those members who knew Irish to use it. A start might be made in collecting rowing terms in Irish. Dail Eireann, he said, had, by repeated Acts, shown it was definitely in favour of Irish, and after twenty years, there were only two deputies who ever used Irish in the House consistently.

"IRISH TIMES" FUND

THE next list of subscribers to the "Irish Times" Fund for the relief of war distress will appear on Monday.

Every penny will be used for relief in countries where suffering and want are being experienced. Wednesday's receipts of over £1,000 brought the total to £9,425.

Visitors Pack Dublin's Hotels

ALTHOUGH their holiday enthusiasm has been somewhat damped by gloomy news from shipyards and aircraft factories, thousands of Northerners have travelled to Dublin for Easter.

Hotel proprietors, however, have had rather more cancellations than usual. Some have come from strikers, who, as their savings dwindle, have sold their rail tickets. Other reservations appear to have been cancelled by people who are reluctant to leave Northern Ireland until the strike situation has improved.

Fighting new and drastic restrictions of electricity, places of entertainment have made valiant efforts to provide visitors with a varied programme. Out of doors the chief attraction is Fairyhouse races, where Prince Blackthorn and Prince Regent, rivals of the recent Red Cross 'Chase, will contest the Irish Grand National on Monday.

As thousands of Belfast visitors were searching for accommodation in Dublin, thousands of Southerners were travelling to the Northern capital to see the replay between the League of Ireland and the Northern Ireland Regional League. The first game—played at Dalymount Park on St. Patrick's Day—was won by the Northern League.

Hotel accommodation in Dublin is limited. The more expensive hotels still have some room left, but the smaller houses are packed, and all day yesterday their proprietors had to turn away would-be clients, most of them from the North. Large hotels on the coast are expecting a big rush to-day.

The Easter egg problem has been serious all week. At one well-known O'Connell street shop queues have formed before 9 o'clock every morning. One day the daily quota of 500 was sold out twenty minutes after the shop had opened.

Fatal Accident in Midleton

On Thursday morning last John C. Ahern, a butcher in the employment of Michael Ahern, victualler, Main street, Midleton, Co. Cork, in the course of his employment received serious wounds from a knife, and expired on the premises less than ten minutes from the time of the accident. He was a married man, with five young children.

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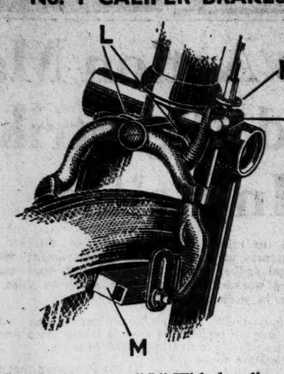

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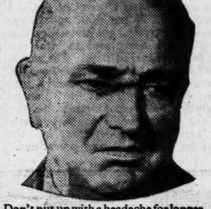

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BOOKS OF THE WEEK

Ethics and Education

By Maurice James Craig

The Abolition of Man. By C. S. Lewis (University of Durham Riddell Memorial Lectures). Oxford: University Press (Humphrey Milford). 2/6 net.

THE sub-title of Mr. Lewis's series of lectures is "Reflections on education, with special reference to the teaching of English in the upper forms of schools." He opens with an extremely well-argued attack upon two authors whom he designates, for politeness sake, under the transparent names of Gaius and Titius. They represent a school of destructive literary criticism which borrows its tools too exclusively from the methods of Logical Positivist philosophy. These methods, as Mr. Lewis points out, are not concerned with values. And, as he goes on to observe, literary criticism, particularly when used in education, must be concerned with values.

He points out, quite correctly, that the very activity of these authors presupposes a scale of values which they hold. In examining this scale of values he becomes unsympathetic and unfair. He concludes, for example, that they hold the pacifist position, a position which he glibly demolishes in a few lines of irrelevant special pleading. But in spite of blemishes of this kind, his contention that all criticism of accepted values must have its origin in values accepted by the critic, remains a sound one. As he puts it himself:

> From propositions about fact alone no practical conclusion can ever be drawn. "This will preserve society" cannot lead to "Do this" except by the mediation of "Society ought to be preserved" . . . The Innovator is trying to get a conclusion in the imperative mood out of premises in the indicative mood.

The Rule of the Tao

Mr. Lewis prophesies, that the refusal to admit that there are any premisses in the imperative mood, will result in an interminable process of "conditioning" by education, whereby a kind of men will be created by men who do not know what kind of men they wish to create. This process, which has already begun, and which, technologically speaking, is sometimes described as "man's victory over nature," will, he maintains, be much more truly nature's victory over man, since the only sanctions left will be the dictates of instinct and of human nature. The picture is a grim one, and by no means impossible.

Against it Mr. Lewis sets the assumption that there do exist self-evident premisses in the imperative mood. The body of ethical imperatives which is common to all of world religion and philosophy, he chooses to call by its Chinese name of the Tao. He claims that there are no ethical imperatives to be found outside the Tao; and it is easy enough to do this when he has arranged himself, in the Appendix, that they shall all be found inside it, simply because he has put them there. He either cannot, or will not, make allowance for the facts of innovation and development in the ethical thought of the past. Not all the elements are of equal antiquity: perhaps not all of them will last equally long. It is only by recognition of this fact that the Tao can be regarded in its true light as a living body of doctrine. As soon as it is regarded as fixed, it goes dead.

Mr. Lewis must know this as well as the next man; but at times it seems as though his intellectual agility conceals it from him. Excellent as many of his arguments are, there are strong grounds for suspicion that they are not being used in a very good cause. On the surface he is less naïve than his opponents; but it may be that underneath he is even more so.

Thomond Men

Worthies of Thomond. by Robert Herbert. Published by the Author, Pery Square, Limerick. 2/- net.

OTHER areas might follow the example set by Mr. Robert Herbert, who has just published this small pamphlet. The brochure gives brief biographical sketches of the careers of some of those who have shed lustre on their native counties of Limerick and Clare. It has to be confessed that some of them were not so "worthy," but all of them had some importance during their lifetime—in literature, music, science, or other spheres. One was a publican-poet who apparently was not much of a success in either capacity; another, Dan Hayes, a fellow-commoner of Trinity College and a translator of Cicero, is remembered chiefly for printing a poster for a Kilkenny theatre announcing the coming performance of "The Tragedy of Hamlet, by Dan Hayes of Limerick!" Another was Edward Purdon, son of a Co. Limerick clergyman, who is described as an author and translator; but his chief claim to remembrance is the epitaph which Goldsmith wrote for him:—

> "Here lies poor Ned Purdon, from misery hurled,
> Who long was a bookseller's hack.
> He led such a damnable life in this world
> That I don't think he'll wish to come back."

Mr. Herbert indicates that this booklet is the first of a series. He has still plenty of scope for his pen. Succeeding issues will, no doubt, recall notabilities like Catherine Hayes, Ada Rehan, Aubrey de Vere, Gerald Griffin, Maurice Lenihan, Limerick's historian, and many others of whom Thomond has reason to be proud.

Fashion Plates

Clothes Through the Ages. By Mark Laboviteh. The Quality Press. 10/- net.

THE title of this book is somewhat misleading as to its scope. It deals only with male costume in Britain. But it begins at the very beginning, and carries the story down to the present day. Mr. Labovitch is described as "a leading authority in the textile industry." In his historical introduction he gives a great deal of information about the English textile trades, which is not always regarded as interesting by more academic authorities on costume.

But these facts, interesting and surprising as some of them are, make only an incidental part of this book. The bulk of it is an account in general terms of the progress of fashion during the last four hundred years. He goes back further than that, but the nearer he gets to our own times the faster the pace becomes, and the more examples is given for every hundred years. For example, the twentieth century, only forty-four years old, receives as much space as the whole of the eighteenth.

The chief drawback to this otherwise excellent book is that its treatment is so broad as to cater only for the general reader, whereas the price is one which only a specialist would feel inclined to pay. As regards production, the colour process used for the twenty-seven plates is not the happiest, and the use of a rubric title page verges on the lavish. At the price, too, one has a right to expect the colours to be accurately superimposed.

The Romance of Ruins

By Austin Clarke

SOME years before the present war an exhibition of mediæval English art was held at the Victoria and Albert Museum. It was exhilarating to escape, even for an hour, from the amplitude of South Kensington into those quiet exhibition rooms, and to stare at the last examples of a minute and exquisite art. But at the same time it was a melancholy pleasure, for these examples of Romanesque and early Gothic art were fragmentary and few in number. Those jewelled ciboria, embroideries, oak statuettes and ivories were mere vestiges of an art which had been destroyed by the zeal of the reforming centuries and the assiduous policy of the Puritans.

I can remember especially the small "dark room," in which a few bits of twelfth or thirteenth century stained glass were exhibited. These pieces of glass were let into the partition wall, so that one could see them against the light; and through them one looked imaginatively into a world as rare and self-guarded as that of the illuminated manuscripts. One of these fragments, no larger than a couple of hands, was unforgettable, and I wondered how copper or oxide could have been transformed into such a celestial hue. The smallness of the exhibition showed how thoroughly the iconoclasts had succeeded in their work of destruction. Fortunately, the printing press has preserved the poetic drama of Shakespeare and his contemporaries, which was swept from the stage by religious fanaticism.

The human mind has its own ways of compensating itself for the ravages caused by time, war and religious dislike of the material world. New ruins are horrible to look at, but when they have been preserved piously for centuries they acquire a picturesque aspect. We are accustomed to the shattered temples and fallen pillars of the ancient world, for their destruction and decay flatter our own thought. It is significant that popular and even artistic taste has preferred in Greek art the armless and headless statues of goddess or Olympian messenger. The romantic movement at the close of the eighteenth century began with a frenzied cult of mediæval ruined abbeys seen by moonlight. The moonlight was essential; for it obscured the unpleasant results of time, war and change of religious beliefs.

The present century is proving successfully that art is of less importance than artillery, but it is difficult to adapt the mind immediately to this era of destructiveness. It is poignant nowadays to read the diaries kept by Charles Ricketts during the last war. (Letters and Journals of Charles Ricketts. Edited by Cecil Lewis. Peter Davies.) Connoisseur, artist and collector, Ricketts found it difficult to forget both the preciousness and the optimism of the nineties, and his Journal is filled with an awareness of the immediate dangers to art.

> Sept. 1, 1914. Rubens' "Miraculous Draught of Fishes" reported destroyed. We are filled with anxiety over the Pavis decorations at Amiens and the Cathedral.
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> A shell falling among the Pavis walls might blot out one-half of his life-work for ever. . . . The destruction of Ypres and Arras represents the destruction of the work of three or four centuries.

So the items increase watchfully in his Journal—

> Sept. 7. I am unhinged at the danger to the work of Epicteius and Bryges in the British Museum, Rubens and Veronese in the National Gallery.
>
> Oct. 29th, 1915. Alas! I have been unhinged for days over the Ypepolo massacre.

This refers to the frescoes in the Scalzi, in Venice, destroyed by a bomb. To Charles Ricketts the sudden annihilation of masterpieces, which had been treasured for centuries, had in each case the dread finality of death. On August 6th, 1915, we find him writing in his journal:—

> Certain events are too unpleasant to be faced, and the mind reacts subconsciously. We are told of André Chénier in the tumbril, when reaching the place of execution, snatching a note-book from his pocket and rapidly scribbling in it till the cart stopped. When the younger Michael Field was on the point of death her last words were, "Not yet, not yet!"—there seemed to her just a frail chance of life. So one thinks of pictures, Greek vases and books, and hugs the idea that it is "not yet, not yet" the end one dreads.

Gradually, Ricketts was tempted to believe that the indifference to art and literature shown in peace-time becomes a blind antagonism in war-time.

> Booty is one of the outward and visible signs of victory, and in the past many masterpieces have escaped destruction owing to their marketable value. But the increasing effectiveness of modern explosives and their widespread aimlessness reduces the remaining chances which have favoured genius in the course of history. It is possible that we are witnessing a continual process in which the last vestiges of the mediæval age, the Renaissance and the eighteenth century will fade into the same oblivion as those of ancient Greece and Rome. But the human mind adapts itself to the disastrous results of time and war. In two or three hundred years, if there are no ruins left, there will, no doubt, be a romantic cult of *reliquiæ*.

I HAVE A PEAR TREE

By KENNETH REDDIN

I HAVE a pear tree
In my garden.
Luminous as April pricks the buds,
In May, with arms outspread,
'Twill burgeon full
In alabaster sheen
As if the Christ, white-robed,
Leaned down in benison.

I have a pear tree
In my garden.
Oh still October days that bear
The stigma of mortality.
I see my pear tree stand folorn,
With arms outspread
In crucifical span:
A Victim, streaked with blood.

A Legal Landmark

Index to the Statutes

A Calendar of the Statute Roll, 1922-1943. By George Gavan Duffy, Judge of the High Court. The Three Candles Press. 21/- net.

ONCE again Mr. Justice Gavan Duffy has put the public and both branches of the legal profession heavily in his debt.

No lawyer, however learned, pretends to carry in his head anything but the broad principles of law with some of their more important applications. For the rest it is sufficient if he knows how and where to find the relevant Statutes, orders and decisions, a task, the successful fulfilment of which depends not only on his own experience and industry, but on the availability of up-to-date text books and indexes. While Ireland and England shared the same Parliament and nearly identical systems of law, the lawyer was well catered for; the Index to the Statutes appearing at short intervals was as nearly perfect as an index can be; edition after edition of standard text books followed each other rapidly; digests, supplements and books of practise were annual affairs.

With the creation of the Free State these facilities ceased for the Irish lawyer. The law bifurcated. Statutes were now completely different, and the absence of a common court of ultimate appeal produced variations in the judge-made law. English text books became less authoritative, and their authors, and the authors of digests, increasingly ignored Irish decisions. Legal books have not a popular appeal, and their limited sale makes authorship unremunerative in a community where the total number of lawyers is small. No wonder that Irish text books are few and mostly limited in scope. Until the Government sees its way to subsidise legal works on a larger scale this unhappy state of affair is likely to continue.

Condensation

Mr. Justice Gavan Duffy, already responsible for three legal works, has now devised this amazingly ingenious Calendar. The English version of our Statutes, from 1922 to 1943, comprises nearly 10,000 pages. This book contains 96 pages, including appendices of repealed Acts and Acts that have expired or spent their force. Such extreme condensation sounds an impossibility if the subject is to be dealt with adequately; but it has been done, and done effectively; that consultation of this book enabled the reviewer to find in less than half-a-minute a provision which two hours' search of the official indexes failed to reveal. Every Irish statute passed since 1922 is indexed by its short title, with a sufficient indication of the subjects with which it deals, to ensure that no matter of importance is overlooked, and every repeal of a section (that nightmare of the advising lawyer) is recorded with a reference to the repealing statute.

To achieve all this in so small a compass, the author has made an admirable use of different founts of type and an easily understood system of abbreviations. The arrangement is partly alphabetical and partly by subjects, and to avoid any confusion which might arise from this double arrangement cross-references are abundant. A little practice and experience may be required before the full utility of this book is appreciated, and in the next edition it might be an improvement to include a separate table of the subject-classifications as an introduction to its use. Once these subject-classifications have been mastered the work will save a busy lawyer not hours, but days of time.

A Handy Guide

The book should be regarded not so much as a summary or compendium, but rather as a guide, something which should not be tucked away on the library shelves, but should lie permanently on the desk ready for immediate use. The object is to direct attention swiftly to the relevant legislation, to ensure that nothing is missed which is in point, and that reliance is not placed

MR. JUSTICE GAVAN DUFFY.

on anything which has been repealed or is out of date. Over-elaboration would have defeated this end, and so over-elaboration has been diligently avoided.

No lay person can make any estimate of the labour which has gone to make this book. A longer book would have involved much less work. Not merely had all the statutes to be considered, but the method of arrangement and classification devised, the system of types chosen and checked, and the cross-indexing thought out. It is an outstanding example of self-sacrificing and conscientious toil on a subject as devoid of interest as it is full of utility. No thanks to the author could be adequate. Though it is lawyers who will make most use of this book, yet county managers, higher civil servants, members of the Legislature, and even private individuals who desire to get a conspectus of our statute law in its many ramifications would do well to possess a copy.

Legal works are usually drab and ugly in their appearance. This, with its cover of chocolate-brown cloth and cheerful green label, is a delightful exception.

In the April issue of *The Bell* (1/6 net) the Editor considers "The University Question"—in other words, the ban on Catholics attending T.C.D. To everyone interested in this important matter, such a well documented article will be of interest and value; it is a worthwhile contribution to the debate. Among the other items an article on legal reform, and one on "Sex, Saints, and Censors," by Josephine O'Brien, deserve notice.

New Fiction

The Devil in Crystal. By Louis Marlow. Faber and Faber. 8/- net.

THE author of "Swan's Milk" has written, in "The Devil in Crystal," another experimental novel. Its peculiarity consists in the rôle played in it by time, which, by performing Wellsian evolutions, makes the plot possible. But it may be doubted whether Mr. Marlow has used this device for any very profound purpose. He causes his hero to be flung from the present day twenty years back into his own previous life during 1922, though retaining his knowledge of events between those dates. He is possessed with the desire to alter the course of happenings by an effort of will.

At first, this takes the form of a wish to change international political history. For obvious reasons, this fails. He has a little more success in the attempt to remodel his own past love-life. But even in this he succeeds only partially. However, it is clear that we are to look for the "message" of Mr. Marlow's book in some implication of this partial success. It seems to involve some form of sexual mysticism; and the value to be attached to it will depend very much on the reader's own personal attitude.

At Bay. By James Hanley. Faber and Faber. 3/6 net.

This collection of ten stories, forming one of the "Sesame" series of prose authors, consists mostly of reprints from earlier books of short stories. Two or three of those in the present volume, however, appear to be new. Mr. James Hanley, both as novelist and short-story writer, has made a name for himself principally as a handler of subjects connected with the sea, in which he is in the line of an ancient and robust English tradition. Stories of this kind are well represented here, and there are also a number which have an Irish setting. As an introduction to its author's work, this book, like the rest of the series, is admirably designed. It is no reproach to it to say that it does not afford enough scope for a full judgment.

Sell Me Your Life. By Dorothy Quentin. Ward, Lock. 8/6 net.

When one has recovered from the cloying effect of the singularly unpromising title, this novel can be enjoyed just as thoroughly as any other of its breed. A pleasant young lady, Judith Scott by name, undertakes for £1,000 to act as co-respondent in a divorce suit to be brought by Carol Grahame, the actress, against her husband. Needless to say, the simulated situation becomes the real thing, and Carol and her American lover, Bruce Sarcovy, are conveniently killed in an air disaster in the last chapter. The middle portion of the book, which is the best written, deals with rehearsals for a West End revue, and is most diverting. This is a smart piece of library fiction, and should sell most satisfactorily.

Eve and Three Envelopes. By L. J. Workman. Rich and Cowan. 8/6 net.

This is the story of a philanthropic old gentleman, who, disappointed that his services are not more urgently required by the British Government at the beginning of the present war, sets off to rescue a young girl, Eve Ellis, from the toils of a blackmailer. In doing so he involves himself in a series of intrigues, and finds his happiness in the service of others. This novel may not convince the cynic, but those who still retain their illusions will find it very enjoyable.

How to Forget. By Denise Robins. Hutchinson. 8/6 net.

Miss Denise Robins is a very industrious writer, and perhaps a certain lack of originality is pardonable when a little inspiration has to go such a long way. Her admirers will be pleased to learn that this eternal triangle story is in her very best manner.

Another Sitwell

Splendours and Miseries. By Sacheverell Sitwell. London: Faber and Faber. 18/- net.

THE other day somebody picked up "Splendours and Miseries," and asked what it was about. That was not so easy to answer. It is impossible to describe Mr. Sitwell's style to somebody who does not know his writing, and those who have read his earlier books know exactly what to expect. Briefly, this book could be described as a journey through the war-time mind. But it is clearly Mr. Sitwell's mind, not an ordinary one.

Beginning with a storm at sea, and a picture of the terrifying landscapes of the Shiant Isles and Slieve League, the mood alternates. Now we are occupied with death and insanity, tortures and burnings, plagues, war, murders; now with Chelsea, China, and the music of Bach. Within the space of 260 crowded pages we may read of the life of Sabbathai Zevi, the False Messiah, or a detailed history of the crime of Madeleine Smith of Glasgow, or a study of the paintings of Fuseli, or an account of a picnic on the Bosphorus, or diversions on gypsy music, professional beggars, insanity. These are the splendours and miseries.

Towards the end of the book a new pattern emerges. It is something of the legend of Orpheus. We have descended into the Underworld. Even now, we are in the Underworld. But for one brief moment we have seen a glimpse of the world as it was, as it might be, almost as the wind turns the pages of a book which we have ceased, for the present, to read. The Persephone which we seek is art, or rather all the arts.

> "The only true religions are the arts of men. That is the only immortality. All other is imaginary, and has no proof. There are no Heaven and no Hell. But there have been saints and prophets. No one can deny that. Nor that we can descend among the dead and come up primed with instances. There is this one chance to bring back the true religion. It deludes with no promises that cannot be fulfilled. It can restore the ancient magic, and the antique harmonies."

It is a strange book, full of beauty, and interest, and a queer sort of wisdom. The word "concentrated" would probably best describe it; there is more material here than most writers use in their entire literary output. And for that reason, it can be read over and over again.

Robespierre

Ridiculous Dictator. By Marjorie Coryn. Constable. 8/6 net.

Miss Coryn's book is an extremely detailed account of the last phase of Robespierre's career, from the prosecution of Danton to his own death. It is written in a clear, graphic style, and can be read with the greatest interest, as a novel. Although the "dialogue, public utterances, etc.," are almost entirely taken from contemporary documents, the author does not make any pretence that the book is to be regarded either as history or biography; nevertheless, it should serve to throw a spotlight on the character of the "Sea-green Incorruptible" for those who lack the application to tackle the more solid stuff on the subject. Marjorie Coryn is free from the irritating modern trait of drawing parallels between the French Revolution and other, more recent, periods in history.

PUBLIC NOTICES

URBAN DISTRICT OF BRAY.

TENDERS FOR STORES

Notice is hereby given that the Wicklow County Manager will at 12 noon on Tuesday, 18th April, 1944, be prepared to receive and consider Tenders for Stores not specified in the Local Government (Trade Lia) for one year from 1st May, 1944.

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The Manager will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender, and tenders (on official forms, to be obtained at this office), duly sealed and endorsed "TENDER FOR STORES," should be received by the undersigned not later than 12 noon on the date above mentioned.

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Árus an Bhaile, Bri Chualann.
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E. HENDERSON, Secretary.

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Professor Mary McKenny, M.A., D.Sc.
Mr. T. O'Donoghue, M.A. (Trustee).
Mr. O. P. Ward, M.A.

12 o'clock noon.

TUESDAY, 11th APRIL, 1944.

THE HOUSE OF RECOVERY AND FEVER HOSPITAL, CORK STREET, DUBLIN.

Applications are invited by the Dublin Fever Hospital Board for the position of Junior House Physician for a period of six months, commencing 1st May, 1944. Salary £100 per annum, with usual residential emoluments. Preference will be given to candidates who are prepared to give an undertaking to serve, if required, for two further consecutive periods of six months in the capacity of Senior House Physician and Assistant Medical Officer, at a salary of £100 and £120 per annum, respectively.

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C. J. McSWEENEY,
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3rd April, 1944.

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NEXT TERM BEGINS—2nd MAY, 1944.

For full particulars and prospectus apply to:—

THE SECRETARY,
Manor House School,
Milford, Armagh.

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THE HIGH SCHOOL DUBLIN.

HEADMASTER:
JOHN BENNETT M.A., PH.D.

ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIPS.

An examination will be held on Thursday and Friday, 25th and 26th May, 1944, for Day Scholarships tenable at the School for five years, and open to Protestant boys of any denomination between the ages of 11 and 13 years on 1st August, 1944.

Full particulars, forms of admission, etc., may be obtained from MERVYN BELL, Registrar, 40 Harcourt Street, Dublin, C.19.

The School will Re-open on Wednesday, 19th April.

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL CHOIR AND GRAMMAR SCHOOL.

VACANCIES FOR CHOIR PROBATIONERS (Boys 7 to 10 years), and for NON-CHORISTERS (Boys up to 18 years).

TERMS VERY MODERATE.
SCHOOL RE-OPENS THURSDAY, 20th APRIL, 1944.

Full particulars on application to the Headmaster, A. E. MAXWELL, M.A., H.Dip.Ed. (Hons.).

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BOARDING and DAY SCHOOL FOR GIRLS.

With Kindergarten Department.
ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATION
(Open to Girls under 12)
WEDNESDAY 26th APRIL, 9.30 a.m.

Head Mistress:
META E. NORTH, M.A., H.Dip.Ed.

SCHOOL RE-OPENS FRIDAY, 28th APRIL.

Boarders return previous afternoon.
For Prospectus apply the Principal:
L. COLLETTA VAUGHAN.
Phone 82159.

BAYMOUNT PREPARATORY SCHOOL, DOLLYMOUNT, DUBLIN.

BOARDING SCHOOL FOR BOYS FROM 7-14.

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J. T. GWYNN, M.A., T.C.D., and
MRS. J. K. GWYNN, M.A., Oxon.

RE-OPENS FRIDAY, MAY 5th, 1944.

Interviews with the HEADMASTER any day by appointment.
Telephone No. 35058.

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Principal:
Miss E. G. PURDON, M.A., H.Dip.Ed.

Girls prepared for Intermediate and Leaving School Certificate Oxford, Local Examinations and University Scholarship.

Junior School Department under fully-qualified Froebel Mistress

Entries for Examinations for Entrance Scholarships, to be held in June, must reach Principal before 1st of June.

SCHOOL RE-OPENS APRIL 18
(Boarders return previous evening).
Principal will be at School to interview Parents on April 17 or by appointment.
Buses 9, 10, 11, 18 pass end of Road.

SANDFORD PARK SCHOOL, RANELAGH, DUBLIN.

BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR BOYS.

SCHOOL RE-OPENS 20th APRIL.
For Prospectus apply to the Headmaster.
Interviews by appointment on and after 17th April.

P.N.E.U. KNOCKRABO SCHOOL

DUNDRUM, CO. DUBLIN.

Boarders—Girls, 6–18.
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Moderate Fees.

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If sufficient merit is shown, two or more Boarding Scholarships at the reduced fee of £25 yearly and two or more at the reduced fee of £30 yearly, tenable for four years, will be awarded to Protestant boys of any denomination from any part of Ireland. Candidates must be over 11 years of age and not over 13 years on 1st August, 1944.

Examination will be held on Wednesday, 24th May, 1944.

Full particulars, forms of admission etc., may be obtained from MERVYN BELL, Registrar, 40 Harcourt Street, Dublin, C.19.

Boarders Return for Summer Term, Friday, 21st April, 1944.

KINGSTOWN SCHOOL, YORK ROAD, DUN LAOGHAIRE, RE-OPENS TUESDAY, 18th APRIL, 1944.

BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR BOYS.
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Pupils prepared for Trinity Entrance and all usual examinations.
Kindergarten Department for Children from 4 years.
Good Playing Fields beside School.
Interviews Monday, 17th April, 2.30-5 p.m., or by appointment.
Prospectus etc., from
The Rev. E. J. DEVLIN, M.A., Headmaster.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

NEW RATION BOOKS

Delivery of the new Ration Books will commence on the 8th April and will be completed about the 24th April.

WHAT TO DO

When you receive your Ration Book.

Read the instructions on pages i to vi; put your ration book carefully aside and await further instructions.

If you have Changed you: Address.

Write now for your ration book to the Post Office of the District in which you resided on the 13th December; or if you resided in a Boarding School, Institution or other similar establishment on that night write to the head of that establishment.

Infants.

Infants born since 13th December, 1943, will, if their births have been registered, receive new ration books in the general issue. No special application is necessary.

WHAT NOT TO DO

Do not write to the Department of Supplies. Do not attempt to use the new Ration Book until further advised.

Further announcements will be made in the near future.

JOHN LEYDON, Secretary.

Department of Supplies, DUBLIN.
5th April, 1944.

SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES

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Secondary School with Kindergarten and Nursery Departments.

Boarding Accommodation for Girls and Boys.
PREMISES RECENTLY EXTENDED.

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Head Mistress: M. F. McILROY, M.A.

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Easter Vacation, 3rd to 18th April (inclusive). Boarders are requested to return on 18th April, before 8 p.m.

Prospectus from Secretary.

RUTLAND HIGH SCHOOL, DUBLIN.

Headmistress: MISS STANTON, M.A.

SCHOOL RE-OPENS

WEDNESDAY, 19th APRIL.

The Headmistress will be at the School on Tuesday, 18th April from 11 to 1 o'clock.

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Sir Sen; 122764, Golden
Steel Flame; 123726,
5982, Prince Regent;
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PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS

GAIETY THEATRE
MATINEE TO-DAY, 2.30.
Nightly 7.45. Saturday Matinée 2.30.
RATHMINES AND RATHGAR MUSICAL SOCIETY Presents
"LILAC TIME."
Music by Franz Schubert.
Booking Open Daily, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.

ABBEY THEATRE
AT 7.30 P.M.
"LOST LIGHT,"
By Roibeard O'Farachain.
"THE SHADOW OF A GUNMAN,"
By Sean O'Casey.
Latecomers not admitted until end of First Play.

GATE EDWARDS—MacLIAMMOIR
To-night at 7.30.
MacLiammoir—Chancellor in
"JANE EYRE."
Special Matinee Easter Monday at 2.30. Matinee To-day at 2.30. Booking 10.30—7.

PEACOCK
Commencing Easter Monday, at 7.15—"YOU ARE INVITED," by Brendan Smith. Book Now. Phone 753061. Show finishes 9.20.

PROPHET OF GALILEE,
By Don Alwyn.
A Play about War and Peace and Love. COMING SHORTLY.

QUEEN'S
COMMENCING EASTER MONDAY. Doors Open at 2.15.
"QUEEN'S SERENADE"
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"THE SONG OF BERNADETTE."
Prices 2/6, 3/9, 5/6, 8/6
All Seats Bookable in Advance.
Booking Office Open Daily, 11—6.

METROPOLE BALLROOM. AFTERNOON TEA DANCE
Every Saturday Throughout the Season, 3.30 to 6 o'c. 3/- including Tea. Metropole Band under the Direction of Phil Murtagh.

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AFTERNOON DANCE, EASTER MONDAY, 10th April, 3.30 to 6 o'c. Admission 3/-. Metropole Band, under Direction of Phil Murtagh.

THEATRE DE LUXE
TO-MORROW, 3.30 and 8. BOOK NOW.
WENDY BARRIE—GORDON OLIVER,
"FOLLIES GIRL."
Buck Jones—Tim McCoy,
"GHOST TOWN LAW."
MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY.
DEANNA DURBIN—JOSEPH COTTEN,
"HERS TO HOLD."
THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY.
"THE MAN IN GREY."
TO-DAY—"QUEEN OF BROADWAY."

CORINTHIAN
To-morrow (Sunday) at 3.30 and 8.
Splendid Holiday Attraction!
GRACE McDONALD and DAVID BRUCE:
"SHE'S FOR ME."
JOHNNY McBROWN and FUZZY KNIGHT:
"ARIZONA CYCLONE."
Book Now for Sunday Night.
Note—Cinema Open on Easter Monday at 1.15, continuous to 10.40 p.m.

ASTORIA Dun Laoghaire, To-day from 3.
TYRONE POWER, SONJA HENIE, in
"SECOND FIDDLE."
Also William Boyd, Andy Clyde, in
"BORDER PATROL."
SUN.—Richard Arlen, Chester Morris in "WRECKING CREW." Also "SING YOUR WORRIES AWAY."
EASTER MON.—Continuous from 3.15 p.m. "THE WEST SIDE KID." Also "DAWN ON THE GREAT DIVIDE."

GRAND CENTRAL Sunday at 3.15 and 8.15. Robert Young and Maureen O'Sullivan: "SPORTING BLOOD."
To-day: "THE FEMININE TOUCH."
At 2.42, 4.48, 6.54, 9 o'clock.

GREEN Comm. SAT: Robt. Taylor, Lana Turner, Van Heflin, "JOHNNY EAGER." 2.30,4.30,6.30,8.40

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EASTER MONDAY DANCE
APRIL 10th.
Dancing 10 to 3 to Jimmie Masson and his Orchestra.
Tickets (including Supper and Tax), 12/6.

DANCING TO-NIGHT AND EVERY SATURDAY
DURING SEASON,
8 TILL MIDNIGHT.
Dance only, 5/-. Supper and Dance, 10/-. Dancing to Jimmie Masson and his Orchestra.
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SUNDAY—Book Now for 8 o'c. Show. More Surprises than in "Something in the Air."
"VARIETY FAIR."
The Greatest Show on Earth, with a score of surprises, including: "The Charm of the Drum," "In Line," "Miniature Melodrama," "Jade Buddha," "Double or Nothing," "Easter Parade," "The Irish Way," "Variety Fair."
plus the Uproarious Army Comedy,
"ADVENTURES OF A ROOKIE,"
with Allan BROWN, William CARNEY.

REGAL ROOMS At 2.40, 4.50, CINEMA 7.0, 9.10.
DON AMECHE,
FRANCES DEE, ANN RUTHERFORD, in
"HAPPYLAND,"
With HARRY CAREY.
BOOK NOW FOR SUNDAY NIGHT.

SAVOY At 2.17, 4.30, 6.43, 8.56.
The Most Spectacular Technicolour Musical Ever Made!
ALICE FAYE,
Carmen Benny Goodman, Ed. W. Everet Miranda, and Orchestra, Horton.
"THE GIRLS HE LEFT BEHIND."
Special Attraction: "The March of Time," Crossroads of Europe—Neutral Portugal."

CAPITOL TO-DAY, 1 o'c. to 10.45.
Paulette Goddard, Fred MacMurray, Edward Arnold, Roland Young,
in this year's Biggest Laugh,
"STANDING ROOM ONLY."
Showing at 1 o'c., 3.52, 6.37, 9.22. On the Stage, at 2.37, 5.22, 8.7.
"MAGYAR MUSICALE."
Maurice Keary, Ursula O'Riordan, Martin Crosby, Mike Nolan, Roy Croft, The Capitol Girls, The Capitol Orchestra.

CARLTON At 2 o'c., 4.10, 6.20, 8.35.
Grand Holiday Attraction.
One Week Only!
The Year's Most Romantic Revival!
"UNDER TWO FLAGS,"
with RONALD COLMAN,
ROSALIND RUSSELL, CLAUDETTE COLBERT and VICTOR McLAGLEN.
—Book Now for Sunday Night—

GRAFTON Continuous Daily From 3 o'clock.
CONRAD VEIDT—RAYMOND MASSEY:
"UNDER THE RED ROBE"
By Stanley Weyman,
Preceded by LAUREL and HARDY in
"A CHUMP AT OXFORD"
BOOK NOW FOR SUNDAY NIGHT.

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COLOURFUL EASTER ATTRACTION:
WALT DISNEY'S
"SNOW WHITE
AND THE
SEVEN DWARFS."
Daily at 2.30, 4.45, 6.55, 9.5.

ADELPHI Showing to-day at 2.16, 4.30, 6.44, 8.58
JUDY GARLAND : MICKEY ROONEY
in "GIRL CRAZY."
Gorgeous Rodeo of Song, Laughter and Romance
BOOK NOW FOR SUNDAY NIGHT.

PAVILION DUN LAOGHAIRE. At 4.0, 6.30 and 9.0.
To-day: Lana Turner, Robert Young in
'SLIGHTLY DANGEROUS'
Sunday: Luise Rainer, Melvyn Douglas in
"FROU FROU."
Also Priscilla Lane in
"THE MILLION DOLLAR BABY."
Mon.—"THE OMAHA TRAIL," and "CINDERELLA SWINGS IT."

REGENT CINEMA, BLACKROCK.
Randolph Scott, Kay Francis:
"WHEN THE DALTONS RODE."
Also "MOONLIGHT IN HAWAII."
Sunday: Roy Milland, Jane Wyatt:
"HURRICANE SMITH."
Also "BLUE CLAY."
Easter Monday—Continuous 2 o'c. to 10.30.

ROYAL DUBLIN SOCIETY.
CONFERENCE SYMPOSIUM ON THE NATURAL RESOURCES OF IRELAND
Marking the Centenary of the publication by the Society of Sir Robert Kane's work on "The Industrial Resources of Ireland."
WEDNESDAY NEXT, APRIL 12th, at 7.30 p.m.
"SIR ROBERT KANE, HIS LIFE AND WORK."
By T. S. Wheeler, D.Sc., State Chemist.
THURSDAY NEXT, APRIL 13th, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Fuel Resources—Prof. M. A. Hogan, Ph.D.
Mineral Resources—D. W. Bishopp, A.R.S.M.
Water Power—J. A. O'Riordan, M.Inst.C.E.I.
FRIDAY NEXT, APRIL 14th, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
The Soil—P. H. Gallagher, D.Sc.
Fisheries—A. E. J. Went, Ph.D.
Forestry—T. Clear, B.Agr.Sc.

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PHŒNIX PARK RACES,
TO-DAY.
£900 IN STAKES.
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LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.
In the Goods of
EDWARD FRANCIS POWELL, late of 7 Merton road, Rathmines, Dublin, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Vic., Cap. 54, that the above-named deceased, by his last Will, dated the 23rd day of December, 1943, bequeathed the residue of his estate (therein called the Trust Fund) to his Trustees upon trust to pay the income therefrom to his sister for her life and after her death to pay out of the Trust Fund the following charitable bequests free of duty:—

To the Church of Ireland Parish of Zion, Rathgar, for the Sustentation Fund	£200
To the Church of Ireland Parish of St. Philip, Milltown, for the Sustentation Fund	£200
To the Hibernian Church Missionary Society	£200
To the Mission to Lepers	£200
To the Mission to Seamen	£200

The testator died on the 30th day of December, 1943, and Probate of his said Will was, on the 17th day of February, 1944, granted forth of the Principal Probate Registry, Eire, to Arthur James Beatty and John D'Oyly Battley, both of 31 Molesworth street, Dublin, the Executors named in the said Will.
Dated this 6th day of April, 1944.
MOORE, KEILY & LLOYD, Solicitors, 31 Molesworth street, Dublin.
To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests for Ireland, and all others whom it may concern.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
MABEL CHARLOTTE KOUGH, late of 3 Longford Place, Monkstown, in the County of Dublin, Spinster, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors of or otherwise having any claims or demands against the estate of the above-named Mabel Charlotte Kough, Deceased, who died on the 29th day of December, 1943, are hereby required, on or before the 20th day of May, 1944, to furnish (in writing) particulars of such claims or demands to the undersigned Solicitors for the Executor of the Will of said Deceased, to whom probate thereof was granted on the 27th day of March, 1944, forth of the Principal Registry of the High Court of Justice in Eire (Probate). And Notice is hereby further given that after the said 20th day of May, 1944, the said Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to such claims and demands of which notice shall have been given as above required.
ROOKE & BEERS, Solicitors for the said Executor, 6 Merrion Square, Dublin.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
FRANCES THOMPSON, late of Shene House, Bundoran, Co. Donegal, Deceased.
All persons claiming against the estate and assets of the above Deceased, who died on the 18th day of September, 1943, are hereby required on or before the 15th day of May, 1944, to furnish (in writing) particulars of such claims to the undersigned Solicitor for the Executors, after which date the Executors will distribute the assets, having regard only to such claims of which notice and particulars shall have been furnished.
Dated this 31st day of March, 1944.
TERENCE DE VERE WHITE, Solicitor for the Executors, 21 Nassau street, Dublin.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
LIEUTENANT - COLONEL RICHARD WELLINGTON RAYMOND, 2 Windsor terrace, Malahide, Deceased.
Will all persons having claims against the estate of above Deceased, who died on 2nd April, 1944, please furnish particulars to
VANCE and CO., Solicitors for Executors, Bailieborough, Co. Cavan?

TENDERS.

DUBLIN BOARD OF ASSISTANCE.
TO FARMERS, DAIRYMEN AND OTHERS.
HIGHEST GRADE MILK WANTED.
The Commissioners for the Dublin Board of Assistance invite Tenders for the Supply of Highest Grade Milk, as under, from the 1st May, 1944, to the 31st October, 1944:—
(a) 130 gallons daily to St. Patrick's Home, Navan Road, Cabra, Co. Dublin. More or less will be ordered as required.
(b) About 12 gallons daily (bottled) to above.
(c) 11 gallons daily, delivered in five-gallon and half-gallon lots, morning and evening, at St. Kevin's Institution, James's Street, Dublin.
Official Tender Forms and all information required can be had from the undersigned.
Tenders, sealed and endorsed "Tender for Highest Grade Milk," must be lodged with me here not later than 10.30 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, 19th April, 1944.
Persons whose tenders are accepted will be required to enter into a Contract and Bond for the due performance of the Contract.
The Commissioners do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.
By Order,
JAMES E. S. CONDON, Secretary.
Secretary's Office, Boardroom, 1 James's Street, Dublin.
5th April, 1944.

DUBLIN BOARD OF ASSISTANCE.
TO FARMERS, DAIRYMEN & OTHERS.
NEW MILK WANTED.
The Commissioners for the Dublin Board of Assistance invite Tenders for the supply of New Milk to St. Kevin's Institution, James's Street, Dublin, from the 1st May, 1944, to the 31st October, 1944.
Quantity—About 350 gallons daily. More or less will be ordered as required.
Official Tender Forms and all information required can be had from the undersigned.
Tenders, sealed and endorsed "Tender for New Milk," must be lodged with me here not later than 10.30 a.m. on WEDNESDAY, 19th APRIL, 1944.
Persons whose Tenders are accepted will be required to enter into a contract and bond for the due performance of the contract.
The Commissioners do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any Tender.
By Order,
JAMES E. S. CONDON, Secretary.
Secretary's Office, Boardroom, 1 James's Street, Dublin.
5th April, 1944.

FOR PUBLIC NOTICES AND OTHER TENDER SEE PAGE 2.

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CHURCH NOTICES.

UNITARIAN CHURCH,
112 ST. STEPHEN'S GREEN.
EASTER SUNDAY SUBJECTS:
11.30 a.m.—Easter and its Lessons.
7.30 p.m.—Miracles and Signs.
Preacher—Rev. E. Savell Hicks, M.A. (Oxon).
Literature explanatory of Unitarian Belief can be had from the Secretary.

THE YORK STREET CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH,
having removed to
25A ADELAIDE ROAD
(Opposite the Eye and Ear Hospital),
will continue
SUNDAY SERVICES
on and from
EASTER SUNDAY, April 9th,
at 11.30 a.m.
Preacher: REV. NORMAN McPHERSON.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.
EASTER SUNDAY.
11 o'clock.
Preacher—The Archbishop of Dublin.

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

AN ROINN OIDEACHAIS.
Brainnse an Meadhon-Oideachais.
CÚRSA SAMHRAIDH 'SA GHAEDHILG DO MHEADHON-MHÚINTEOIRÍ.
Tá beartuighthe ag an Roinn cúrsa Samhraidh sa Ghaedhilg do Mheadhon-Mhúinteoirí do chur ar bun i mBaile Átha Cliath, i Mí an Iúil, 1944.
Tá gach eolas i dtaobh an chúrsa agus na gcoingheallacha a baineann leis le fághail ón Rúnaidhe, Oifig an Meadhon-Oideachais, 1 Sráid Hiúm, Baile Átha Cliath.
Na múinteoirí gur fonn leo beith i láthair ag an gCúrsa, ba cheart dóibh litir do chur chuig an Oifig roimh an 30adh lá d'Aibreán ag iarraidh foirm iarratais.
MÍCHEÁL BREATHNACH, Rúnaidhe.
Oifig an Meadhon-Oideachais, 1 Sráid Hiúm, Baile Átha Cliath.
W 569. W.H.Co.

ARMY ORDNANCE CORPS.
Vacancies exist in the Army Ordnance Corps for suitable tradesmen for employment as Armament Artificers, Armourers, Turners, Fitters, Oxy Acetylene and Electric Welders, Electrical Fitters or Electricians, Motor Fitters or Motor Mechanics, Tin Smiths, Copper Smiths or Sheet Metal Workers.
Successful candidates will be granted additional pay at the appropriate rates. Marriage allowance will be paid to married candidates from the date of enlistment.
Application forms and full particulars may be obtained from the Secretary (S.6), Department of Defence, Parkgate, Dublin. Requests for Application Forms should be forwarded so as to reach that Department not later than 22nd April, 1944.
W 565. W.H.Co.

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GOOD FRIDAY IN THE CHURCHES

The Christian message of Good Friday was recalled to large congregations in the churches in Dublin City and County yesterday. "There is but one thought shared by all on Good Friday; the crucified Christ," said the Rev. A. R. C. Olden, preaching at the morning Service in St. Patrick's Cathedral. Good Friday spoke to them very vividly of the suffering of Christ, he said; He found time even on the cross to think of the individual needs of his fellow countrymen. Christ spoke to them from the cross. The Cross of Christ stood before them as a reminder of what God required of them. Christ did not die only to save them from punishment for sin, but from sin itself; he did more by His death on Calvary than relieve them from the death of sin, He taught them how to live.

There were Matins and Evensong in Christ Church Cathedral; and in many of the churches there were devotional hours during the day. In St. Bartholomew's there were Three Hours' Devotion from 12 to 3; Meditation on The Seven Words, in St. Ann's from 2 to 3; an hour of Meditation and Prayer in Holy Trinity, Killiney, from 2 to 3; a Devotional Hour in Christ Church, Dun Laoghaire, from 2 to 3, and a Quiet Hour at Rathfarnham Church at the same time.

Easter music was a feature of the Evening Services, Stainer's Crucifixion, St. Luke's Passion by Bach, and Olivet and Calvary being chosen. In St. Kevin's Church the soloists in the last-mentioned cantata were Miss N. Plant, Miss E. Ludlow, Mr. R. Midgley and Mr. R. Mason.

The soloists in St. Luke's Passion, which was rendered by an augmented choir in St. Philip's Church, Temple road, Rathmines, included Mrs. Mabel Thrift, and Messrs. Geoffrey Quaile, Ewart Grace and Reginald Hall. Mr. Robert Johnson was at the organ.

Services were held in Methodist and Presbyterian Churches also.

LUNCH-HOUR SERMON

The result in man's life of the Vision was the subject of the last of the Holy Week lunch-hour sermons, delivered by the Rev. Canon G. H. Hemming in St. Ann's Church, Dawson street, on Thursday last. The sermon, entitled "Here Am I; Send Me," pointed out that when man saw God's perfect holiness and glory he realised his utter unworthiness. The light which showed the holiness and glory of God made startlingly plain the utter sinfulness and shamefulness of unredeemed man.

When God becomes a personal reality, man would know the gulf between himself and God; God touches man's lips with the purifying flame of His Holy Spirit, and commissions him in His service. Man gladly responds, "Send me" to work for Thee.

"God must be the Lord of all our life," added Canon Hemming; "whether we eat or sleep or whatever we do, we must do all to the glory of God."

Shorthand for Soldiers.—Soldiers at the Curragh are to begin courses in shorthand next Tuesday.

The Irish Times

SATURDAY, APRIL 8, 1944.

The Belfast Strike

The situation in respect of the Belfast strike seems to have eased yesterday, although in the morning it was reported that a thousand additional workers, mainly electricians, had joined the ranks of the strikers. This strike, in which more than 40,000 workers are involved, is one of the greatest of its kind in Belfast's industrial history. Of the men who have stopped work, approximately half are shipyard workers; the other half consists of workers in aircraft and engineering factories. A certain number of dockers also is involved. It is not easy to specify the precise causes of this unfortunate upheaval. Originally it was an ordinary dispute about wages, caused by a demand for a general rate of 3s. an hour for certain classes of engineering workers; but, as almost invariably happens in such cases, one dispute, as it were, borrowed another, with the result that what began as a comparatively simple issue has begotten a regular medley of other and more complicated disputes. The Northern Government's attitude towards the strike and the strikers does not seem to have been particularly wise. Last week it caused the arrest and imprisonment of four shop stewards and another man, who were sentenced to three months' hard labour on a charge that they had taken part in an illegal strike. It was as a result of this action that the strike spread so rapidly and attained such threatening proportions. Appeals were made to the Government to release the five men, but Sir Basil Brooke and Mr. Grant, the Minister of Labour, declared that only two courses of action were possible: the men either must appeal against their sentences, in which event they would be released on bail without further ado, or they must send a petition to the Governor of Northern Ireland, whose prerogative they could invoke. Other Government spokesmen, including the Attorney-General and Mr. Lowry, Minister of Home Affairs, made it clear that the Government was not prepared to yield to threats of any kind—an attitude which, in the circumstances, was the only possible attitude that could be adopted by any responsible administration.

Presumably as the result of pressure from their own colleagues in the trade union movement, the five imprisoned men have agreed to appeal against their sentences, having been advised strongly to take this course by Mr. J. M. Andrews, former Prime Minister. They were released yesterday on bail. To what extent their release will affect the general situation remains to be seen; but it is assumed in Belfast that the strike will come to an end during the next few days. Belfast workers never were particularly easy to handle in times of industrial unrest. Large numbers of the present strikers seem to be as defiant of their own union leaders as they are of their employers and of the Government, and some of them evidently are in a thoroughly truculent mood. They have been earning big money for the last few years. Consequently they have not been feeling the economic pinch of idleness; and until they come round to a more reasonable frame of mind any excuse will be sufficient in their eyes to justify continued intransigence. The Northern Government is in a difficult and embarrassing position. It must be remembered that Northern Ireland is a belligerent, and that industrial disputes in war time hardly can be handled by the methods which normally are used in times of peace. In its way, the Belfast strike is even more serious, from the British point of view, than the strike in the English and Welsh coalfields, and it is obvious that the Stormont Government could not possibly allow the present condition of affairs to continue. The imprisonment of the five shop stewards appears to have been a tactical error, described cogently by a trade union leader as "good law, but bad government, and worse common-sense." Now that the men are at liberty a fresh opportunity has been provided for an immediate review of the whole position. The Government, if it is to continue to be worthy of the name of government at all, cannot be expected to surrender its essential rights to a body of men who will not even listen to the advice of their own leaders. On the other hand, much might have been done at the outset by the exercise of a little tact—a quality with which those who have been dealing with the situation do not seem to be richly endowed.

Easter

The great mysteries of Our Lord's death and resurrection are celebrated this year by a world that would seem, in large measure, to have forgotten their import. In the crash of conflict it would appear that His quiet teachings had small chance to be heard. Yet who can suppose that these years of war, terrible although they have been, and seemingly subversive of all the decent values, have done what hundreds of other wars failed to do—have erased the Gospel of Christ? War is not an inspiration of the worst passions alone. On the contrary, it is apt to furnish a soil for the growth of many of the noblest impulses of which Christian man is capable. If it furnishes examples of cruelty, it furnishes likewise examples of self-sacrifice: if it reveals the beast in man, it brings the angel also to light. The spirit of Christianity is beyond time or place: it is imperishable. Perhaps, it is too much to hope that these years of terror will purify the nations and bring about the establishment of a new reign of peace and charity: a similar hope has been entertained many times, and has been disappointed. Yet we refuse to believe that mankind will have been degraded by its blood-bath beyond chance of recovery. We refuse to believe that the doctrines of Christ have so far loosened their hold upon the millions of combatants that their calm influence will not remain at work, repairing the wounds which have rent man's soul, gently and gradually allaying those bad emotions which so often appear to have acquired the mastery. There must be few men who, once having known the solemn message of Easter, must not be feeling it whisper in their hearts even in the thick of battle. For this, our own country, which has been spared the final terrors of war, surely the present Easter must be a season of thanksgiving for temporal, not less than for spiritual, blessings. Here, at least, the Easter message still comes clear and strong. Is it not our manifest duty to listen and to obey?

LADY NUGENT arrived in Dublin this week from Ballinlough, Clonmellon.

Lady Blunden, who has been staying this week in the Shelbourne Hotel, has left Dublin for Castle Blunden, Co. Kilkenny.

The Hon. Mrs. M. Crofton, who has been spending a few days in Dublin, returned to Castlegar, Ahascragh, yesterday.

Miss Brenda Gogarty, who has been at Renvyle, Co. Galway, for the past week, returned to England yesterday.

Colonel and Mrs. Pierce Joyce have returned to Galway from Dublin.

The engagement is announced of Kevin Donnelly, 36 Fitzwilliam square, Dublin, son of the late Mr. James Donnelly and Mrs. Donnelly, 55 Pembroke road, Dublin, and Suzette, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James F. D'Arcy, 4 Mount Eden road, Donnybrook, Dublin.

The engagement is announced between Doctor John Kennedy, elder son of the late Michael Kennedy, B.E., and Mrs. Kennedy, The Retreat, Rockbarton, Galway, and Mary Christina, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ward, Well Park, Galway.

The engagement is announced between George, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bunbury, Dellesert, Westbourne road, Terenure, and Violet, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Jones, Normanby, Rathgar road, Dublin.

The marriage has been arranged, and will shortly take place, between Michael, second son of the late Commander J. W. Stopford and Mrs. Livingston, of 97 Rathgar road, Dublin, and Dorothy, only daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. T. Bradley, Ballard Rectory, Rathdrum, Co. Wicklow.

During Punchestown week one of the biggest attractions will be the South County Dublin Harriers' Hunt Ball in the Gresham Hotel on Tuesday, April 25th, from 9 to 3 a.m. Tickets, strictly limited, payable in advance, 15s., from G. Hunt, 4 Burgh quay, or Gresham Hotel, Dublin.

Kenilworth Lawn Tennis Club Annual Dance will be held in Clery's Ballroom, Friday, April 14th (Easter Week). Dancing 9-3. Tickets (including supper), 9/6. Booking at Clery's.

The Ladies' Comforts Committee 43rd Batt. are holding a Dance on Wednesday, April 26th, at Clery's Ballroom. 9-2. Booking Clery's. Tickets, 9s. 6d.

Jervis Street Hospital Dance, Gresham Hotel, Wednesday, April 19th, 1944, almost booked out.

Switzer and Co., Ltd., will be open until 1 p.m. to-day (Sat.). The Restaurant is closed until Tuesday morning for Redecorating.

Lenardes' are showing an attractive variety of smart Costumes and Coats for present wear at moderate prices.—18 Wicklow street.

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COMMEMORATION OF EASTER WEEK

The Easter Week Commemoration ceremony arranged by Fianna Fail Republican Party will take place at Arbour Hill at 12.30 o'c to-morrow. Senator M. Pearse will recite a decade of the Rosary, after which Mr. de Valera, on behalf of the National Executive, will lay a wreath on the 1916 Plot. Following military honours by a firing party composed of survivors of the Rising, the "Last Post" will be sounded. Then will come the Reveille and the raising of the flag by Senator Matt Stafford. Mr. Joseph O'Connor will be Master of Ceremonies.

Entrance to the plot will be by Manor place, to the gate at the rear of Mount Temple road, and not by the front gate entrance, as on former occasions.

West Waterford Old I.R.A. Comrades will hold a commemoration ceremony at the Republican plot, Kilrossanty, to-morrow.

1916 LEADERS' GRAVES

The public will be permitted to visit the graves of the executed 1916 leaders at Arbour Hill Military Cemetery, Dublin, between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. on Easter Sunday, and between 2 p.m. and 5 p.m. on Monday and Tuesday. Entrance by Oxmantown road gate.

The graveyard at Collins Barracks, Cork, where Tom Kent, who was executed there in 1916, is buried, will be open to the public at the same times.

PRIZES FOR SCHOOL BOOKS

Messrs. Browne and Nolan are offering prizes amounting to £1,100 for Irish readers suitable for the primary school programme.

The authors of the best set of six readers in Connacht, Munster and Ulster Gaelic will receive prizes of £300 each, while an additional £200 will be given to the writer of the best prize-winning entry in the three classes. The readers in the three dialects must be suitable for standards one to six.

THE SUN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Rises	6.43	6.41
Sets	8.12	8.14
Lighting-up Time	8.42	8.44

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN.

Morning	0.18	0.46
Evening	0.31	1. 0

Thomas F. Ryan, of Mayfield road, Terenure, has been appointed a new P.O.

CRUISKEEN LAWN

By Myles na gCopaleen

CONTINUING my quotidian unsatisfaction with "Irish Art," I draw attention to a very impertinent instruction as to how I (who not only have lived, but *still* live in "Arcadia," P.L.V. £42, landlord paying rates) am to avoid the vulgarities to which I am assumed to be prone in the matter of interior decoration. First of all there are directions about avoiding fake 'period' furniture and radiators that pretend to be glowing log fires. But not a word about not having the dustbins in the hall. "Rich ornament," this boy says, "looks best against a plain background." Hmmm. Vice versa also, of course. My own trouble is that I simply can't make my own rooms ornate enough to set off the wife.

"Two last hints," he says. "Take a good architectural magazine such as *The Architectural Review*: 'Art' and 'Home' magazines are unreliable guides on interior decoration. Finally, visit homes designed by architects, preferably young architects, and note carefully what you see, and more particularly what you do not see."

Yes, yes. But here let me pose a problem. Supposing one is so unfortunate, so abandoned . . . . . . as *to know no young architect*? What then? Supposing one doesn't know even an old architect? Supposing one thinks Corbusier is a French brandy? Supposing one thinks it ridiculous to be advised to acquire taste by 'taking' the *Architectural Review*? Worse, supposing one actually *has* a home designed by a young architect . . . . . . and has to live in it?

Ha-ho. Architects, particularly the young ones, amuse me. I often wonder do they know anything nowadays about the joyces . . . . . . and the importance of the plasther . . . . . and the dangers of walls walkin' out? I don't know what sort of ideas they're putting into their heads these days above in the Royal University. It's all art, now, it seems.

Actually, the matter of interior decoration is quite simple. You just fix your place up the way you like it. You please yourself. If you like a little bit of make-believe, have a fake radiator with a little wheel that gives the impression of flames. Fake of this kind can be amusing.

If you live in Dublin, here's something worth trying. Fix up at least one room in your house to contain absolutely everything that is 'vulgar' in the 'young architect's sense. Oak panels painted on the walls, electric 'candles' everywhere, a dud telephone that gives the engaged signal no matter what number is dialled on it (I am patenting this affectation), sulphurous curtains of 1870 velvet, mahogany chairs with the legs sawed off and stainless steel tubular substructures substituted — everything phoney down to the nice carpet that's painted on the linoleum. Then invite a few 'young architects' to come and see you. Observe covertly the looks of horror, the signals to 'say nothing,' the loud conversation, the early departure. That inverted sort of joke can be *good*.

Here's another funny idea. I assume you have a second room to spare. Furnish and decorate it how you will—tastefully or otherwise—but somehow or other fail to provide absolutely anything to sit on. Have everything except chairs. Then throw a select little party, inviting only stuffy souls who would think it terribly bad form to draw attention to the most obvious defect. Six or seven people together in a room for three or four hours and nowhere to sit down can be really amusing. You can withdraw at intervals yourself on the pretext of getting drinks and rest for a while in bed. Your guests will be in bed all day on the day following, so that you'll be entitled to your own little siestas while the fun is in progress. When they are leaving and hollowly thanking you for your hospitality (hospitalisation might be a better word), ask them casually how they like your sittingroom. Try and detain them late enough to ensure that they will have to stand in the bus home. And do try to include a few young architects, preferably the sort who are terribly interested in plastics, prefabrication and all that.

FUNERAL
MR. T. McLAUGHLIN

There was a large attendance at the funeral of Senator Thomas McLaughlin at Armagh on Thursday. Mass was celebrated by the Rev. E. Rice, C.C., in St. Malachy's Church, and in the afternoon the Very Rev. J. Quinn, Adm., delivered a panegyric, in which he told of the Senator's work for the people of his native city and for the Catholic community of Northern Ireland.

Among those present were:—Cardinal MacRory, Sir Norman Stronge, Bart., Chief Government Whip, representing the Prime Minister of Northern Ireland, as well as representatives of the Northern Senate and Commons, and of the various Councils, committees and organisations with which Mr. McLaughlin was connected.

SOCIAL SERVICES A PALLIATIVE ONLY

In an address on the attitude of the St. Vincent de Paul Society to the social services, given at a meeting of the society in Dublin, a member referred to the exhortations of the late President-General in Paris that the society must devote itself to a deeper understanding of the especial difficulties of the present age. They should, however, avoid the mistake of humanitarianism, namely, that they could make people better by making them richer, and giving them greater ease.

The Rev. E. J. Coyne, S.J., who presided, said that there were certain great virtues connected with social reform, political virtues, critical virtues, which every citizen should possess, namely, prudence, careful foresight, living well within one's income and a readiness to make sacrifices; so that he gave to every man his due. Social services were necessary during the emergency, as people could not be allowed to starve, but they could be only a palliative.

CEREMONIES IN PRO-CATHEDRAL

The Mass of the Pre-Sanctified took place in the Pro-Cathedral yesterday. The Archbishop of Dublin, the Most Rev. Dr. McQuaid, presided. The ceremonies consisted of the chanting of the Passion, the Procession to the Altar of Repose, the Mass of the Pre-Sanctified, and the Adoration of the Cross.

The celebrant of the Mass was Rev. L. Thackaberry, C.C. The sacred music was rendered by the Palestrina Choir, under the direction of Dr. Vincent O'Brien.

The Archbishop presided at Tenebræ in the evening.

Dr. Wall, Bishop of Thasos, yesterday presided at a Mass of the Pre-Sanctified in St. Mary's, Haddington road. The sacred music was rendered by the church choir under the direction of Mr. J. Bouch, choirmaster.

Later in the evening Dr. Wall presided at Tenebræ.

MASONIC BOYS' SCHOOL

The Board of Governors will meet in Freemasons' Hall, Molesworth street, on Tuesday next, at 5 p.m.

LONDON LETTER

59 FLEET STREET, LONDON.

FRIDAY NIGHT.

PEOPLE who are careless, indifferent and grabbing, whose sense of their rights is greater than their sense of responsibilities, who are always ready to take and never to give, seem to be steadily increasing in great numbers, said Mr. St. John Ervine in a pungent talk at University College, Exeter, yesterday. "One of our troubles to-day is that we have a vast number of people whose ambition is greater than their ability," said the author and dramatist. "You will find them nearly all in what I call Left Wing politics, sour, depraved people, without guts, who are always complaining. In my knowledge of mankind I have never found people who did anything running round asking other people to help them. If we are going to make a better world we must increase the number of intelligent, really civilised people, the number of whom is very small in the world to-day. Instead you have hordes of people walking about like adults who are really infants, people with infantile minds and the body of animals, who will accept any statement however absurd without examination or question. How we are going to increase the number of adult-minded people and reduce the number of infantile-minded I do not pretend to have a solution." Mr. Ervine added that mankind had an immense prospect of great and growing happiness so far as material things were concerned, but how thin was the veneer of civilisation had been proved by the war.

Full Employment

In an address at Bolton, the Hon. Frank Pakenham, Principal Assistant to Sir William Beveridge on the Beveridge Plan, dealt with the problems of full employment, and said that whatever Government was in power after the war far greater steps would be taken than in the past to enforce industrial location in the national interest. The factory would be moved to the man far more than the man to the factory. Unemployment between the two wars has been twice as high as in 1914. There was a structural employment, a necessary unemployment—amounting to about three per cent.—and a third element which the economists now described as the failure of the system to purchase all that could be purchased. In the post-war years the national income would be distributed in such a way that more purchasing power than hitherto would be placed in the hands of the wage-earners in return for honest work. In that way the technical problems of full employment would be solved at the same time.

Post-war Shipping

Plans have been completed to improve the port of Buenos Aires to meet the post-war shipping boom and to compete with Montevideo and the Brazilian ports. The Argentinians are assuming that many of the ships built during the present war with deeper drafts and broader beams than normal—because such construction is easier and cheaper—will remain in commission. Three of the present docks will have to be widened on this account, and the new port area and the North Basin are to be extended. It seems certain that the tramp ship, on which the bulk of the River Plate traffic has been carried, will be replaced in the years after the war by the cargo-passenger liner.

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DUBLIN THEATRES

Royal.—"Variety Fair," a new show possessing all the originality and high standard of entertainment set by "Something in the Air," opens to-morrow. Presented on a lavish scale, it has as principals: Noel Purcell, Eddie Byrne, Frankie Blowers, Jimmy Campbell and his orchestra. On the screen: "Adventures of a Rookie," featuring William Carney and Allan Brown.

Capitol.—"Magyar Musicale," a show of very high standard, which has been attracting big houses, is retained. The principals are Martin Crosby, Maurice Keary, Ursula O'Riordan, Mike Nolan, Roy Croft and the Capitol Girls. On the screen: "Standing Room Only," featuring Paulette Goddard and Fred MacMurray.

Queen's.—Commencing on Monday, "Queen Serenade" is a show of outstanding merit, with an all-star cast of old and new favourites. Centrepiece of a well-balanced show is "Bridges of Ireland," a stirring pageant. Peggy Dell presents some popular numbers, while Jimmy Harvey and Danny Cummins are as capable as ever in the comedy rôles.

Gaiety.—Opening to-day, "Lilac Time," presentel by the Rathmines and Rathgar Musical Society.

Abbey. — Commencing to-night: "Lost Light," by Roibeard O Farachain, and "The Shadow of a Gunman," by Sean O'Casey.

Peacock.—Starting on Easter Monday, Premiere Productions will present a revival of Brendan Smith's popular comedy-satire, "You Are Invited." It deals with the efforts of a civil servant to cure his feather-brained wife and son of theatremania.

Olympia.—Paul Vincent Carroll's play of the war, "The Strings are False," is being revived. The cast includes W. O'Gorman, Maureen Delany, Leo McCabe and Austin Meldon.

Gate. — Micheal MacLiammoir's new stage version of "Jane Eyre" has proved so popular that it is being retained for Easter week.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Children's Book Week. — The Council of the Book Association of Ireland have decided that the first Children's Book Week in this country will be held in Rathmines early in May.

Army Tradesmen Wanted.—The Army Ordnance Corps requires the services of various categories of tradesmen. Allowances will be paid to married men from the date of enlistment. See advertising columns.

Army Property Stolen.—At Kilmainham District Court, Private Brian McNally, stated to be a native of Clondalkin, was sentenced to three months' imprisonment for stealing Army property valued at £11.

Sequel to Page Boy's Death.—At Kilmainham District Court, Patrick Collins, jun. (25), Santry avenue, Santry, was fined £4 for the unlawful possession of a .32 automatic revolver and a parabellum, with ammunition. The charges arose out of a tragedy in the Shelbourne Hotel last January. The weapons were forfeited.

Fined for Moving Potatoes.—For moving potatoes out of a scheduled area without a permit, William Wykes, Hill street, Dundalk, was fined £10, and also £10 for refusing information to an officer, at Dundalk District Court. In connection with the same offence, Stephen Kearney, Dublin street, Dundalk, was fined £10, with a recommendation that the amount should be reduced.

Ard-Chraobh.—At the annual Ard-Chraobh elections Mr. de Valera, who this year completes his silver jubilee as President, was returned unopposed. The new Vice-President is Michael O Rudaigh, a Mayo man, who was chairman for the past six years. The committee is as follows:—R. A. Bramham, G. O Diolum, E. O h-Earnaigh, S. O'Ruaidh, E. NicCárrthaigh, E. O h-Ealuighthe, S. O Fuaráin, B. Nic A' Ríogh, S. Mac Stíbín, C. NicCormaic.

AN IRISHMAN'S DIARY

Erskine Childers

I WAS delighted to read the other day of the appointment of my friend, Erskine Childers, to a Parliamentary Secretaryship. I have known Mr. Childers pretty intimately for a number of years, and can vouch for the fact that there is no more conscientious or hard-working deputy in Dail Eireann, where he sits as a representative of Longford. In the days of motor cars he used to visit his constituency on every available opportunity, and, in a remarkably short space of time, made himself familiar with every aspect of its local life. Since motoring has been impossible, he has cycled, and even walked, from place to place in Co. Longford, where, if I may use a rural expression, he has become "as well known as a begging ass."

The interests of his constituents always have been his first concern, and the only thing that surprises me about his appointment is that it was not made long ago.

Mr. Childers is more than a good deputy, in the strict sense of the term; he is a highly educated man, with a particular flair for economic subjects. His addition to the Government team will strengthen it considerably, and, although he still is a very young man as politicians go, I can foresee a time in the not too distant future when his claims to further promotion in the Government will become irresistible.

Erskine Childers, unless I am greatly mistaken, is the only Protestant member of the Fianna Fail Party in the Dail; the only other non-Catholic is Mr. Robert Briscoe, who is a Jew. There was one other Protestant Fianna Fail T.D. in the person of Mr. Frazer Browne, from Sligo, whose sister, by the way, is married to Mr. Dan O'Donovan, Commissioner for Co. Dublin; but Mr. Browne ceased to be a member some years ago.

It is of interest to note that Erskine Childers is also the second Protestant to hold office in an Irish Government since the establishment of the Free State in 1932; the first was Mr. Ernest Blythe, now director of the Abbey Theatre, who was Minister for Finance and Vice President of the Executive Council in Mr. Cosgrave's Government.

In His Blood

Mr. Childers has politics in his blood—and that reminds me that I must be getting old, because I discovered yesterday that not a single person of the several whom I consulted on the point, all educated men, ever seemed to have heard of the Childers Commission. Let me recount the story from a faulty memory for the benefit of those who may share my colleagues' ignorance.

Once upon a time, as we say in the fairy stories, there was a man named Hugh Childers, who was a British member of Parliament and a Liberal, some years—in fact, a good many years—before I was born. He was one of the few Liberals returned to Westminster as an advocate of Irish Home Rule before the great Gladstone became converted to that cause. He filled at least two offices, in the Gladstone Cabinet, having been Minister for War and Chancellor of the Exchequer (the colleague who is typing this for me reminds me that in the British Government one does not speak of Minister for War but of Secretary of State for War, but that does not matter).

While Childers was at the War Office, the territorial system was introduced, and it was his proposals for beer and spirit duties in the Budget when he was at the Exchequer that brought about the fall of the Government in 1885. So far as Ireland is concerned, Childers's main claim to fame is the fact that he presided over the Commission ten years afterwards, which reported that Ireland was being over-taxed at the rate of £2,500,000 a year by the British. Incidentally, John Redmond was directly responsible for opposing the appointment of this Commission!

Scholarship and Sport

Hugh Childers had a first cousin named Robert Cæsar Childers, an Indian Civil Servant and author of the first Pali-English dictionary, a work which opened up a vast field of research for Orientalists. Talking of fields, it was the Childers family incidentally that bred the famous string of racehorses known as The Flying Childers, which included The Eclipse of "the rest nowhere" fame. Robert Childers's son was christened Erskine. He had a career which was as varied as it was brilliant, but it ended in ghastly tragedy before a firing squad in Beggar's Bush Barracks in 1922. He was a remarkably talented man, whose mother was one of the Bartons of Glendalough House — hence the Irish interest, which developed into a passion in Childers's mind. He fought gallantly in the Boer war, afterwards becoming committee clerk in the House of Commons, a post which he threw up in order to devote his life to Irish affairs.

He was an exceptionally keen yachtsman, and it was his yacht that was used in the famous Howth gun-running exploit in 1914, an adventure in which an Irish aristocrat, the Hon. Miss Spring-Rice, was involved. Some years previously, Childers had written "The Riddle of the Sands," a book which earned for him literary fame throughout the English-speaking world. I hope all my readers have read it; for it is one of the most fascinating spy stories that ever were written. It also shows the amazingly intricate knowledge that its author had of all matters appertaining to yachtsmanship and the sea.

Erskine Childers served in the last war, in the Naval Arm of the British Air Force (Typist: "Wrong again. Wasn't it the Royal Flying Corps?" Self: "I don't care if it was, but, at any rate, it wasn't."). He made his home in Ireland from 1919, appearing as one of the principal secretaries of the Irish delegation in London during the Treaty negotiations of 1921. He was bitterly opposed to the Treaty. Many, indeed, held the view that his influence was largely responsible for the big vote that was cast against Griffith and Collins at Earlsfort terrace. To make a long story short, he fought on the Republican side in the Civil War, was captured by Free State troops in Glendalough House, and was executed shortly afterwards.

Associates

I well remember how fascinated I was one evening in Mrs. Turton's lovely house at Delgany, when I listened to poor "Didi" Robinson (the late Senator) describing how he and Childers made their way, often on foot, from Co. Cork to Glendalough, when things had become impossibly hot for the Republicans in the South. Childers's part in that campaign, apparently, was confined largely to the editing and production of a Republican newspaper, as it were, in the field.

Robinson, who also had been a British officer, was the most delightful *raconteur*. He was an admirable mimic, who could keep you in fits of laughter for hours on end. Only a few days before his death—and he knew full well that he had only a short time to go—I spent about an hour with him in Delgany. He told me some excruciatingly funny stories, which he related with the greatest gusto. Within the week I was at his funeral, which was attended, *inter alios*, by Sir John Maffey and Mr. Dan Breen. David Robinson was that sort of man.

But I would seem to have wandered rather far from my original topic, which was Erskine Childers, junior. You will see now where he got his taste for a political career. He has five children, including a delightful brace of twins, and he and his wife, who, like his mother, is an American, are well known in Dublin's social circles. His only brother, Robert, formerly manager of the *Irish Press*, is an officer in the Army and aide-de-camp to the Chief of Staff.

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CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL

On Easter Day the sermon at the 11 o'clock Service in Christ Church Cathedral, Dublin, will be preached by the Archbishop of Dublin. There will be a Service of Holy Communion at 10 o'clock in the Lady Chapel and choral celebration at the 11 o'clock Service. The Easter Anthem will be sung in full at Festival Evensong at 3.30 o'clock. The decorations will remain in the Cathedral during the eight days of the Easter Festival.

IRISH WILLS

Michael Octigan, otherwise Atkin, Beach avenue, Farnham, Lytham St. Ann's, Lancashire—£4,436 (gross in Eire); Miss Ellie Anne Macnamara, St. Joseph's, Portland row, Dublin—£3,160 (gross in Eire); Thomas McNello, Market street, Ardee, Co. Louth—£2,262 (gross in Eire); William Headech, Chilliwack, British Columbia, Canada—£2,239 (gross in Eire); John Behan, 163 South Circular road, Dolphin's Barn, Dublin—£1,065 (gross in Eire).

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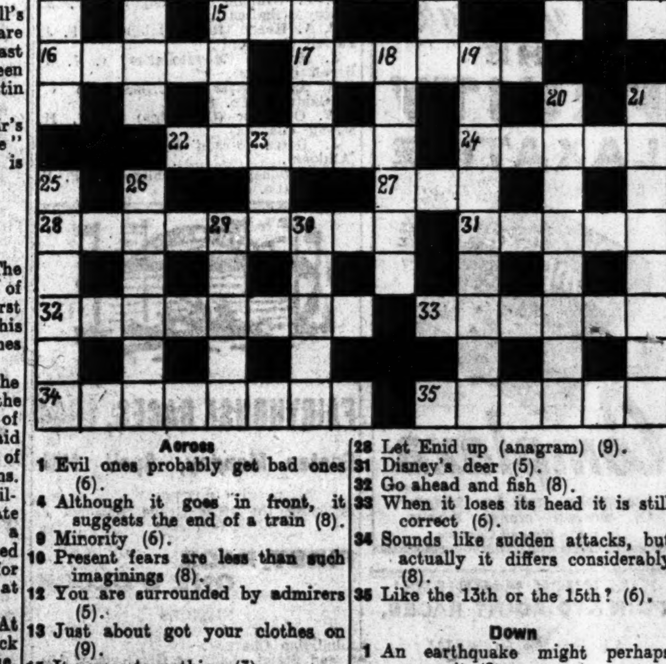
By CROSAIRE.



Across

1 Evil ones probably get bad ones (6).
4 Although it goes in front, it suggests the end of a train (8).
9 Minority (6).
10 Present fears are less than such imaginings (8).
12 You are surrounded by admirers (5).
13 Just about got your clothes on (9).
15 It comes to nothing (3).
16 Subject, for instance, in falsehood (5).
17 "'Twas brillig, and the slithy toves did gyre and—in the wabe" (Lewis Carroll) (6).
22 Like a sea bird behind (6).
24 Forty all becomes two (5).
27 It's made for wards (3).
28 Let Enid up (anagram) (9).
31 Disney's deer (5).
32 Go ahead and fish (8).
33 When it loses its head it is still correct (6).
34 Sounds like sudden attacks, but actually it differs considerably (8).
35 Like the 13th or the 15th? (6).

Down

1 An earthquake might perhaps cause it (8).
2 Make a nut sever your undertakings (8).
3 The first part belongs to the king, but the rest is muddled (9).
5 An empty space? (5).
6 It's deep, but it may rise (5).
7 I'm lying in wait camouflaged (6).
8 Penny studies? (6).
11 A qualified scoundrel? (6).
14 It might be a band, but it's no bon (3).
18 My clef? (6).
19 Hens? (9).
20 Drug me, Ma (anagram) (8).
21 I have got upside down in timely fruit (8).
23 When he follows, a tenth results (3).
25 Hastened around a sea, perhaps (6).
26 Sounds like numbering, but has other meanings (6).
29 E appears to contain the whole of it (5).
30 A lady is unsuitable when she has a small port afterwards (5).

(SOLUTION NEXT WEEK)

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Phœnix Park Season Opens

THERE is promise of some exceptionally good racing at the opening meeting of the season at Phœnix Park. Outstanding on an exceptionally attractive programme is the Rank Cup, which will bring out a big field, including several that have already shown winning form over hurdles.

Mr. Joseph McGrath holds a strong hand with Magic Bridge, also engaged in the Athgarvan Hurdle;

Tote Double on Third and Fifth Races.

Pongo and Brownstown, and the selected of this trio should take a lot of beating. Red Thorn, Cameraman II and Charles's Wain all will be fancied, but for the winner a choice is made of Green Ginger, a smart newcomer who is likely to go here instead of in his earlier engagement.

There are two very attractive races for two years olds also in the programme. Selections:—

Ashtown T.Y.O. Plate—**Pretty Jane.**
Athgarvan Hurdle—**Mr. Wilts.**
Rank Cup—**Green Ginger.**
Arklow Plate—**Pacifier.**
Greer Plate—**Early Act.**
Ashbourne Plate—**Carrig Dub.**
Athboy Plate—**Carlist.**

3.0—ASHTOWN MAIDEN T.Y.O. PLATE, £100. 5f.

Chicken Feed (M. A. Byrne), Owner, 9-0 J. P. Maguire
Exmoor (M. Arnott), Owner, 9-0 .... W. Howard
0 River Slate (J. Hamilton), T. Nugent, 9-0 ...... J. Cox
Sartorial (J. McVey, jun.), Oxx, 9-0 ...... John Power
3 Early Act (Miss Paget), C. Rogers, 9-0 ...... (———)
Mamie Lou (P. A. Connolly), ———, 8-10 ... M. Nolan
0 Rio Geno (D. Frame), W. J. Byrne, 8-10 ... H. Holmes
Short Shadow (P. McAlinden), Oxx, 8-10 John Power
A Chara (Mrs. N. M. Gough), Keating, 8-10 (———)
Vemp (R. L. Banker), More O'Ferrall, 8-10 ... (———)
First Royalty (R. L. Banker), More O'Ferrall, 8-10 (———)
Shirin Villa (J. P. Mallick), Owner .... A. Barrett
3 Pretty Jane (C. L. Robinson), M. A. Byrne, 8-10 J. Tyrrell
0 Toppers (C. A. Rogers), Owner, 8-10 .... (———)
Child o' Grace (Mrs. H. G. Wellesley), Wellesley, 8-10 .... G. Cooney
E. M. Quirke rides More O'Ferrall's selected; G. Wells rides C. A. Rogers's selected.

Betting Forecast—2/1 Pretty Jane, 3/1 Early Act, 5/1 Child o' Grace and Rio Geno, 7/1 Vemp and First Royalty, 10/1 others.

3.30—ATHGARVAN HANDICAP HURDLE, £100. 2m.

004 Point d'Atout (Miss A. E. Hall), B. Nugent, a, 12-7 K. Gilsenan
010 Apios (J. A. Mangan), Owner, a, 11-8 ...... F. Mangan
030 Knee High (Miss E. Shortiss), Brabazon, 5, 11-1 A. Brabazon
210 Rockleigh (J. A. Farrell), Owner, a, 10-10 T. Cullen, jun.
412 Magic Bridge (Jos. McGrath), S. McGrath, 4, 10-9 S. O'Neill
002 Doremi (Miss Paget), Arnott, a, 10-8 ...... J. Brogan
Fox Star (Miss Paget), Lenehan, a, 10-7 R. J. O'Ryan
000 Golspie (Major R. Stirling Stuart), R. Martin, 5, 10-6 .... J. Morehan
010 Green Ginger (G. M. King), Wellesley, 4, 10-5 D. Morgan
000 Fergus O'Farrell (F. Latham), Owner, a, 10-0 E. Hannigan
000 Broken Promise (J. V. Rank), T. W. Dreaper, a, 10-0 .... T. Hyde
000 Killeshin (W. Jackson), Dawson, a, 9-13 E. Newman
022 Mr. Wilts (M. A. Naughton), H. M. Ryan, 5, 9-11 M. Regan
004 Numero (J. V. Rank), T. W. Dreaper, 6, 9-10 (———)
010 Uplander (J. J. Parkinson), Owner, a, 9-7 ... E. Conlon
3 Path of Glory (B. Kerr), J. E. Davis, 5, 9-7 (———)
000 Miss Franco (John Byrne), Owner, a, 9-7 ... D. Daly
130 Royal Down (B. Kerr), Lenehan, a, 9-7 ...... (———)
M. O'Reilly rides Royal Down or Path of Glory.

Betting Forecast—9/4 Knee High, 7/2 Point d'Atout and Mr. Wilts, 5/1 Doremi and Magic Bridge, 8/1 Uplander, Apios and Rockleigh; 10/1 Golspie, 100/8 others.

4.0—RANK HURDLE CUP, with £200 added. 2m.

211 Pongo (Jos. McGrath), J. Parkinson, 6, 12-9 (———)
100 Red Thorn (C. L. Robinson), M. A. Byrne, 5, 11-10 J. P. Maguire
01 Sporran (C. A. Rogers), Owner, 5, 11-10 A. Brabazon
412 Magic Bridge (Jos. McGrath), S. McGrath, 4, 11-5 (———)
000 Tasmanian (Major R. Stirling Stuart), R. Martin, 5, 11-3 .... J. Morehan
Knight's Wink (Miss A. E. Hall), B. Nugent, 5, 11-3 (———)
100 Sparkling Hook (W. M. Shawe Taylor), Ussher, 5, 11-3 .... K. Dardis
00 More Fun (N. E. Wilkinson), W. T. O'Grady, 5, 11-3 M. Connors
00 Brownstown (Jos. McGrath), S. McGrath, 5, 11-3 (———)
012 King of the Jungle (F. Barry), B. Nugent, 4, 11-0 (———)
010 Green Ginger (G. M. King), Wellesley, 4, 11-0 D. Morgan
200 Royal Yacht (C. L. Buckley), G. E. Price, 5, 10-7 (———)
00 Golden Reign (John J. Astor), T. W. Dreaper, 6, 10-7 .... E. Dempsey
003 Charles's Wain (Mrs. B. Ogilvie), R. Martin, 4, 10-7 R. Quinlan
3 Path of Glory (B. Kerr), J. E. Davis, 5, 10-7 (———)
042 Sander (R. McIlhagga), B. Nugent, 5, 10-7 (———)
000 Pet Penny (D. Murray), Owner, 5, 10-7 ... M. Molony
003 Great Patrick (W. Noble), Owner, 5, 10-7 (———)
43 Golden Souvenir (M. Cuddy), Ussher, 5, 10-7 (———)
0 Cameraman II (E. Delany), Owner, 5, 10-7 T. McNeill
00 Unseen (J. Ismay), Keating, 5, 10-7 ... R. McCarthy
Hasty Earl (Miss Paget), C. Rogers, 4, 10-7 (———)
00 Keep Faith (J. V. Rank), T. W. Dreaper, 6, 10-7 (———)
004 Numero (J. V. Rank), T. W. Dreaper, 6, 10-7 (———)
000 Dr. Dick (W. Dunne), Taaffe, 4, 10-0 ... P. Timmins
00 Barr Hill (H. S. Gill), D. Rogers, 4, 10-0 E. Newman
Highland Reel (Sir O. Lambart), Arnott, 4, 10-0 J. Brogan
00 Prince Finglas (B. Kerr), Lenehan, 4, 10-0 (———)
T. Hyde rides Mr. J. V. Rank's selected; S. O'Neill rides Mr. Jos. McGrath's selected; K. Gilsenan rides B. Nugent's selected.

Betting Forecast—5/2 Sporran, 4/1 B. Nugent's selected and Red Thorn, 6/1 Pongo and Green Ginger, 8/1 Golden Souvenir, Magic Bridge and More Fun; 10/1 Barr Hill and Charles's Wain, 100/8 others.

4.30—ARKLOW MAIDEN PLATE, £100. 1m.

Lovelight (J. Hamer), 4, 9-7 .... (———)
0 Knight Garth (H. Hartigan), Owner, 4, 9-7 J. Canty
Another Victor (J. Ismay), D. Rogers, 4, 9-7 E. Newman
Mbargo (Miss Paget), C. Rogers, 4, 9-7 ...... (———)
Loch Eidar (Miss Paget), C. Rogers, 4, 9-7 ...... (———)
0 Onyva (G. V. Malcomson), M. Murphy, 4, 9-7 (———)
Tyrol Girl (G. V. Malcomson), M. Murphy, 4, 9-7 (———)
Fair Portal (C. J. Moore), Beasley, 5, 9-7 M. Connelly
Sorrel (H. Morrissey) M. Gleeson, 4, 9-7 ...... (———)
Mount Belton (Miss M. O'Keeffe), T. O'Sullivan, 5, 9-7 .... (———)
Royal Cheer (A. Waddington), T. Nugent, 4, 9-7 J. Cox
Toujours Pret (P. D. Daly), Arnott, 4, 9-7 W. Howard
Orange Grove (T. Ward), Ussher, 4, 9-7 ...... (———)
Miss Penny (T. Ward), Banahan, 5, 9-7 ...... (———)
0 Sanford (M. C. Collins), Owner, 3, 8-3 ... W. Barrett
Clement's Meadow (G. Dodd), C. Harty, 3, 8-3 M. Molony
00 Chance Shot (Mrs. N. M. Gough), Keating, 3, 8-3 J. Flynn
Beauford (B. Kerr), J. E. Davis, 3, 8-3 ...... P. Canty
2 Hanoi (H. Kouymdjian), P. J. Prendergast, 3, 8-3 John Doyle
0 Swift Don (Jos. McGrath), Collins, 3, 8-3 ... M. Wing
0 Fair Enough (J. P. Maher), T. Nugent, 3, 8-3 (———)
Ruby Port (Major E. M. Conolly), Blake, 3, 8-3 T. P. Burns
Dundarave (A. B. Macnaughton), Willan, 3, 8-3 J. Patman
00 Pacifier (F. S. Myerscough), Owner, 3, 8-3 J. Eddery
Serica Rose (R. Sullivan), Oxx, 3, 8-3 ... John Power
0 Orientation (W. M. Shawe Taylor), Ussher, 3, 8-3 J. Tyrrell
High Spirits (T. J. S. Gray), More O'Ferrall, 3, 8-3 A. Barrett
G. Wells rides Miss Paget's selected.

Betting Forecast—7/4 Hanoi, 7/2 Sanford and High Spirits, 5/1 Pacifier and Serica Rose, 8/1 Knight Garth, Onyva and Ruby Port, 100/8 others.

5.0—GREER T.Y.O. PLATE, £200. 5f.

1 Lucky Shah (T. J. S. Gray), Hurley, 9-5 ... A. Barrett
Majesty (M. A. Byrne), Owner, 8-9 ...... D. Johnstone
Umidhhan (H.H. Aga Khan), H. Hartigan, 8-9 (———)
0 Redbay (Sir T. Dixon), Wellesley, 8-9 ...... G. Cooney
Sartorial (J. McVey, jun.), Oxx, 8-9 ...... John Power
0 First Melody (A. B. Macnaughton), Willan, 8-9 P. Powell, jun.
2 Rise Early (Mrs. M. G. Scott), Brabazon, 8-9 E. Newman
3 Early Act (Miss Paget), C. Rogers, 8-9 ... G. Wells
Dab (Mrs. Honniball), Canty, 8-9 .... P. Canty
Garalin (Sir T. Dixon), Brabazon, 8-5 ...... (———)
Pay Book (D. Frame), W. J. Byrne, 8-9 ... H. Holmes
Gayfair (M. Beryl), Brabazon, 8-5 .... (———)
Charisima (Mrs. K. Kelly), W. J. Kelly, 8-5 ... (———)
Ascona (H.H. Aga Khan), H. Hartigan, 8-5 ... (———)
Silver Brook (Jos. McGrath), Collins, 8-5 ... (———)
Cuguan (Jos. McGrath), Collins, 8-5 .... (———)
Lady Roneh (Mrs J. J. Mangan), W. J. Byrne, 8-5 .... (———)
Lady Marquis (F. M. O'Sullivan), Oxx, 8-5 Jos. Power
Sweet Marie (J. V. Rank), Fetherston, 8-5 J. Moylan
0 Toppers (C. A. Rogers), Owner, 8-5 ...... J. O'Reilly
Butterfly Belle (T. Ward), Brabazon, 8-5 ... W. Howard
B. Duffy rides H. Hartigan's selected; M. Wing rides Collins's selected; H. Holmes rides W. J. Byrne's selected.

Betting Forecast—5/2 Rise Early and Lucky Shah, 5/1 Early Act, Hartigan's selected and Redbay, 8/1 Charisima and Lady Marquis, 10/1 others.

5.30—ASHBOURNE MAIDEN FLAT RACE, £100. 2m.

040 Carrig Dub (Mrs. K. Kelly), W. J. Kelly, a, 12-0 Mr. P. Sleator
00 Arch Knight (B. Kelly), Noble, a, 12-0 Mr. K. Woods
The Corinthian (Leo Partridge), C. Rogers, a, 12-0 (———)
004 Numero (J. V. Rank), T. W. Dreaper, 6, 12-0 Mr. T. Nugent
00 Keep Faith (J. V. Rank), T. W. Dreaper, 6, 12-0 Mr. N. McClancy
0 Longridge (A. D. Rogers), D. Rogers, 5, 12-0 (———)
000 Knight Marshall (F. Rogers), Owner, a, 12-0 Mr. M. N. Walker
0 Corialla (Capt. G. S. L. Whitelaw), H. Hartigan, 5, 12-0 .... Mr. J. F. Cosgrove
Kilnockin (P. T. Lyons), ———, 6, 12-0 Mr. R. A. Hoey
Swift and Cautious (Mrs. C. G. McKenna), McKenna, 5, 12-0 .... Mr. C. G. McKenna
Pucka Man (J. A. Mangan), Owner, a, 12-0 ... Owner
0 Clemenceau (John Byrne), Lenehan, 4, 11-9 Mr. P. J. Lenehan
Broomhaugh (G. Dodd), C. Harty, 4, 11-9 Mr. G. P. Dodd
0 August (J. A. Farrell), Owner, 4, 11-9 Mr. G. A. Reynolds
0 Madariaga (B. Kerr), J. E. Davis, 4, 11-9 Mr. W. G. Davis
0 Fête de Neuilly (J. Pyper), P. J. Prendergast, 4, 11-9 .... (———)
Hamstar (J. K. Long), ———, 4, 11-9 ...... (———)
0 Post Fifty (T. Miller), T. O'Sullivan, 4, 11-9 Mr. J. R. Cox
Sorrel (H. Morrissey), M. T. Gleeson, 4, 11-9 (———)
Valiant William (Miss Paget), C. Rogers, 4, 11-9 (———)
Mbargo (Miss Paget), C. Rogers, 4, 11-9 ... (———)
Mr. P. P. Hogan rides C. A. Rogers's selected.

Betting Forecast—5/2 Pucka Man and Numero, 6/1 C. A. Rogers's selected and Carrig Dub, 8/1 Corialla and Sorrel, 10/1 others.

6.0—ATHBOY HANDICAP, £100. 5f.

Camfield (Lord Queenborough), C. Rogers, 4, 9-7 G. Wells
Upper Set (J. McLean), H. Hartigan, 3, 8-12 J. Canty
0 Carlist (C. L. Robinson), M. A. Byrne, 4, 8-11 J. Tyrrell
Charity Concert (Capt. D. Rogers), Owner, 3, 8-11 E. M. Quirke
Slightly Slow (J. McLean), H. Hartigan, 6, 8-9 B. Duffy
0 Balbriggan (J. P. Farrell), T. Nugent, 6, 8-9 John Doyle
0 Silversol (N. Cuddy), T. O'Sullivan, 4, 8-7 ... (———)
0 Raffin (Jos. McGrath), Collins, 5, 8-6 ...... M. Wing
0 Calvados (F. More O'Ferrall), More O'Ferrall, 4, 8-3 A. Barrett
Salaam (H. Morrissey), M. T. Gleeson, 4, 7-13 (———)
0 Father Tracey (P. J. Cox), Dawson, 5, 7-11 M. Nolan
000 Glasswort (F. W. Dennis), Wellesley, 4, 7-11 G. Cooney
Tolta (R. L. Banker), D. Quirke, 4, 7-10 ...... (———)
Milady Serene (F. S. Myerscough), Owner, 3, 7-8 J. Eddery
Nourrice (B. Kerr), J. E. Davis, 4, 7-7 ... W. Howard
2 Mastership (Miss Paget), C. Rogers, 6, 7-7 H. Holmes
00 Barr Hill (H. S. Gill), D. Rogers, 4, 7-7 ...... (———)
020 Acrostic (C. Willan), Owner, 4, 7-7 ... P. Powell, jun.
Cenotaph (Mrs. A. H. Watt), Brabazon, 3, 7-7 (———)
3 Dinkie Di (H. E. Beasley), Owner, 3, 7-7 J. Connolly
Monatello (H. Morrissey), M. T. Gleeson, 3, 7-7 (———)
00 Shalimar (P. J. Byrne), M. A. Byrne, 3, 7-7 P. Butler

Betting Forecast—5/2 Mastership and Carlist, 5/1 Balbriggan, Acrostic and Slightly Slow; 8/1 Raffin and Calvados, 10/1 Nourrice, Father Tracey and Cenotaph, 100/8 others.

Full Form for Phœnix Park will be found in to-day's "Irish Field."

CURRAGH CORRESPONDENT'S SELECTIONS

3.0—Pretty Jane; 3.30—Green Ginger or Rockleigh; 4.0—Pongo; 4.30—Hanoi or High Spirits; 5.0—Cuguan; 5.30—Corialla; 6.0—Carlist or Mastership.

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KILLINICK HARRIERS' POINT-TO-POINT RACES,

AT KNOCKHOWLIN,

On THURSDAY NEXT, 13th APRIL.

First Race, 2.30 p.m. (new time).

HEAVY-WEIGHT RACE. Open.
FARMERS' RACE. Confined.
MAIDEN RACE. Open.
FARMERS' RACE, Confined to County Wexford.

Entries Close Monday Next, 10th April, with the Hon. Secretary.
C. G. MILLER,
Shortalstown,
Wexford.
—(Advt.)

BRAY HARRIERS' HUNT POINT-TO-POINT RACES, 1944,

AT CALARY.
WEDNESDAY, 19th APRIL.
First Race, 2.30 p.m.
Four Open and Two Confined Races.
ENTRIES CLOSE ON FRIDAY, 14th APRIL.
Further particulars from the Hon. Sec., Capt. T. J. Wilson, Kingston, Kilternan, Co. Dublin.
—(Advt.)

Co. Cavan Harriers' Point-to-Point Races, Wednesday, April 12th. 4 Open Races, closing to-day (Saturday).—R. S. Black, Hon. Sec., Cavan. —(Advt.)

Soccer.—Tuesday next—Belvedere Newsboys' Club v. Belfast Newsboys' Club, Shelbourne Park, 12.30.

West of Ireland Golf Championship Draw

DESPITE the recent injury to his hand, Cecil Ewing, holder, will defend the West of Ireland golf championship, the first round of which will be played at Rosses Point this morning. The championship has attracted an entry of 32.

Ewing, six times holder of the championship, is reckoned favourite, but John Burke, who has had an equal number of successes in the competition, is playing very steady golf.

A round of 71 was returned by Ewing in a fourball yesterday.

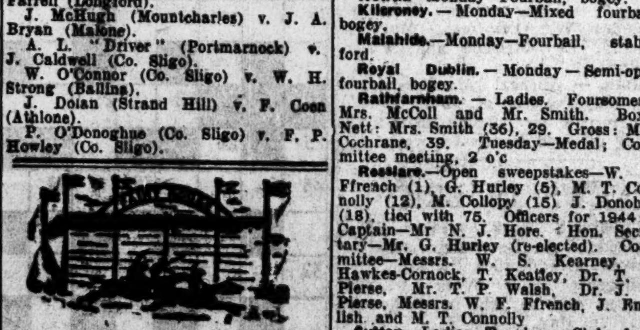
Liam Howley, of Portmarnock, who had a brilliant victory over Burke in the championship last year, also had an excellent round of 71.

The draw is as follows:—

W. J. Gill (Portmarnock) v. J. P. Foy (Athlone).
W. J. Fitzgerald (Bundoran) v. P. F. Purcell (Portmarnock).
Liam Howley (Royal Dublin) v. M. Foster (Strand Hill).
Dr. J. Dunne (Co. Sligo) v. Dr. J. K. O'Meara (Tullamore).
John Burke (Castletroy) v. E. B. O'Doherty (Ballina).
C. A. Kelly (Ballina) v. K. McHale (Woodbrook).
F. Smyth (Co. Sligo) v. J. Claffey (Castlerea).
J. F. Graham (Co. Sligo) v. P. A. Tracey (Ballina).
T. A. Healy (Royal Dublin) v. F. J. Farrell (Longford).
J. McHugh (Mountcharles) v. J. A. Bryan (Malone).
A. L. "Driver" (Portmarnock) v. J. Caldwell (Co. Sligo).
W. O'Connor (Co. Sligo) v. W. H. Strong (Ballina).
J. Dolan (Strand Hill) v. F. Coen (Athlone).
P. O'Donoghue (Co. Sligo) v. F. P. Howley (Co. Sligo).
Cecil Ewing (Co. Sligo) v. W. Smith (Royal Dublin).
V. Hamilton (Woodbrook) v. J. Igoe (Ballina).

CLUB NOTICES

Castle.—Monday—Fourball and fourball and mixed foursomes.
Carrickmines.—Monday—Singles, bogey. Open to members playing with visitors.
Corballis.—Monday—Foursomes; draw 2 o'c.; trains 9.45, 11.55, 12.45.
Clontarf.—Monday—Fourball, bogey, and mixed foursomes, strokes. Officers for 1944:—Captain: Mr. N. P. McEvoy. Hon. Secretary: Mr. R. Rice. Hon. Treasurer: Mr. P. Clark. Hon. Links Officer: Mr. John Dempsey. Committee: Messrs. T. P. Smith, J. Cauldwell, H. Delaney, R. Grogan, P. J. Leddy, E. M. O'Connell, Chas. O'Neill, T. C. Whelan.
Delgany.—Monday—Fourball, bogey.
Elm Park.—Monday—Mixed Scotch foursomes, bogey.
Foxrock.—Monday—Fourball, bogey.
Greystones.—Monday—Singles, bogey.
Grange.—Monday—Strokes and four ball. Ladies—Tuesday: Sweepstakes, strokes. Friday: Medal. Sweepstakes—I: Miss Dilworth, 3 down. II: Miss Calanan, 3 down.
Hermitage.—Monday—Fourball, bogey.
Howth.—Monday—Fourball, bogey.
Killiney.—Monday—Mixed fourball, bogey.
Malahide.—Monday—Fourball, stableford.
Royal Dublin.—Monday—Semi-open fourball, bogey.
Rathfarnham.—Ladies. Foursomes—Mrs. McColl and Mr. Smith. Box-Nett: Mrs. Smith (36), 29. Gross: Mrs. Cochrane, 39. Tuesday—Medal; Committee meeting, 2 o'c.
Rosslare.—Open sweepstakes—W. F. Ffrench (1), G. Hurley (5), M. T. Connolly (12), M. Collopy (15), J. Donohoe (18), tied with 75. Officers for 1944:—Captain—Mr. N. J. Hore. Hon. Secretary—Mr. G. Hurley (re-elected). Committee—Messrs. W. S. Kearney, Z. Hawkes-Cornock, T. Keatley, Dr. T. E. Pierse, Mr. T. P. Walsh, Dr. J. A. Pierse, Messrs. W. F. Ffrench, J. English and M. T. Connolly.
Sutton.—Ladies—Tuesday: Club foursomes, Scotch; draws for opponents, 10.15, 2.40 6 o'c. Medal—Mrs. Conway, 4 down; Dr. Fitzpatrick, 4 down.
Woodbrook.—Ladies—April 11th: Mrs. E. B. Keating's prize, strokes; draws 12.0, 3.0, 4.0, 5.45.



FAIRYHOUSE RACES, 1944

Easter Monday, April 10th

7 RACES,
including the Irish Grand National of 1,000 sovs.

FIRST RACE
ONE O'CLOCK

NOTICES

Admission Charges:—
Grand Stand (Lady or Gentleman), 15/- each, by turnstile only.

Reserved Stand—Lady's Ticket, 5/-; Gent's Ticket, 10/-. Reserved Stand and Top—Lady's Ticket, 10/-; Gent's Ticket, 20/-.

Reserved Carriage Enclosure—Two-horse Vehicles, 10/-; One-horse Vehicles, 5/-.

Admission to the Reserved Carriage Enclosure is through the Ratoath Gap.

Race Cards, 1/- each.

Tickets can be purchased in advance from:—Miss M. Hogan, Secretary, Molesworth House, 1 South Frederick Street, Dublin.

Bicycle Park available by the Safety Cycle Park. Accommodation for 4,000 bicycles.

The Stewards wish patrons to clearly understand that the new regulations with regard to Free Admission, as published in the Irish *Racing Calendar*, will be strictly enforced.

LITTLEGRANGE HARRIERS' POINT-TO-POINT RACES,

At BEAMORE, DROGHEDA,
On MONDAY, APRIL 17th.
THREE OPEN RACES of £20 each for £1 Entry.
Entry Forms and particulars from JOHN BARRETT, Hon. Sec., The Grove, Balrath, Co. Meath.
Entries Close April 12th. —(Advt.)

TO-DAY'S GOLF CLUB FIXTURES

Carrickmines. — Monthly competition, bogey. **Clontarf.**—Robinson Cup (qual.), h'caps 15 and over. **Castle.**—Fourball, bogey (Irish Red Cross). **Donabate.**—To-morrow: Fourball, bogey. **Elm Park.**—Fourball, bogey. **Foxrock.**—Mr. O'Flaherty's prize, strokes. **Grange.**—Medal, bogey. **Greystones.**—Fourball, bogey. **Hermitage.**—To-morrow: Qualifying competition, 16 h'caps and over. **Kilcroney.**—Strokes; ladies, strokes. **Killiney.**—Barton Memorial Cup, bogey. **Milltown.**—Fourball, bogey. **Malahide.**—Club prize. **Portmarnock**—Match play foursomes. **Sutton.**—Fourball, bogey. **Skerries.**—Monthly Cup.

Y.M.C.A.'S HOCKEY WIN OVER CORINTHIANS

Y.M.C.A. .... 3 CORINTHIANS 0

At Claremont road on Thursday, Y.M.C.A. defeated Corinthians in a senior league game. L. Walker scored in the first half, R. Walker adding two more in the second period.

ULSTER TEAM

The Ulster men's team to play Leinster in Belfast on April 22nd is:—Carroll (Y.M.C.A.); Carlisle (Y.M.C.A.), W. McCabe (Banbridge); Crawford (Y.M.C.A.), Chambers (Banbridge), Paul (Lisnagarvey); Young (Cliftonville), Walsh (Banbridge), P. McCabe (Banbridge), Jack Bowden (Lisnagarvey), G. B. Raphael (Lisnagarvey).

To-day's Leinster Rugby Cup Matches

BY OUR RUGBY FOOTBALL CORRESPONDENT.

ALTHOUGH the spectators have not had many thrills from the Leinster Senior Rugby Cup matches so far, they will probably muster in considerable force once again at Lansdowne road this afternoon for the two remaining second round encounters, Old Belvedere v. Curragh Command, at 2.45, followed by U.C.D. v. Blackrock College.

Before the start of the competition nobody even gave a thought to Curragh Command, despite the fact that they had shown considerably improved form compared with last season. However, their first round victory over Monkstown brought them right into the limelight, for their forwards showed tremendous energy and a certain amount of skill in the open, while the backs were by no means inefficient. I doubt if anyone seriously expects them to beat Old Belvedere, who are certain to have a big advantage in pace behind the scrum, but at least the soldiers are capable of making it a hard, open game, which the holders cannot afford to take in too light-hearted a spirit. An early score to Curragh might ensure an excellent game.

BLACKROCK'S CHANCE.

The other match will probably be the grim kick-and-follow-up affair to which we have had to accustom ourselves in this competition. Blackrock have some useful backs, for Aherne, Finan and Mooney are capable of carrying out intelligent movements at a fair pace, but it takes two to make an attractive match, and I imagine that U.C.D. will place all their reliance on their powerful pack, assigning to the backs the rôle of punting and tackling. As usual, Kevin O'Flanagan will have to work out for himself any opportunities of running with the ball. Each side has made one change from their last cup tie—J. Fitzgibbon returns to the Blackrock pack in place of R. D. Widger, and T. O'Sullivan replaces J. Blayney in the centre for U.C.D.

I have a fancy for Blackrock in this game. Their forwards are decidedly useful, though not, perhaps, as good as the U.C.D. eight, which includes five men chosen for Leinster teams over the last two seasons. If Blackrock can get a share of the ball, they are certainly apt to be far more dangerous than the University. It is a very open affair.

TEAMS.

Old Belvedere—B. Dixon; B. Quinn, K. Quinn, G. Quinn, N. McNelis; F. Quinn, D. Thorpe; W. Cleary, J. Belton, M. O'Neill, S. Heasey, P. O'Sullivan, T. Kennedy, V. Aird, J. O'Dwyer.

Curragh Command — Captain R. M'Sweeney; Sergt. J. Cullen, Corpl. E. Doyle, Cadet H. M'Dyer, Cadet J. Manahan; Corpl. I. Byrne, Pte. P. O'Meara; Corpl. D. O'Neill, Cadet M'Cann, C.Q.M.S. E. Fitzpatrick, Lieut. J. Fitzpatrick, Pte. J. Ryan, Lieut. F. Jackson (capt.), Pte. J. Belton, Lieut. J. Coffey.

Blackrock College—B. Mongey; C. Maguire, Aherne, B. Mooney, J. Byrne; C. Finan, J. Geoghegan; J. Hughes, P. Hogan, H. Morris, S. Morrison, E. G. Ryan, J. Geraghty, Lieut. E. Russell, J. Fitzgibbon.

U.C.D.—F. Keenan; K. O'Flanagan, J. O'Hagan, T. O'Sullivan, F. Johnston; P. Ryan, S. O'Hanrahan; J. Fogarty, P. O'Donoghue, H. Dolan, E. Nolan, J. Kelly, R. Spellman, T. Halpenny, C. J. Hayes.

SHELBOURNE PARK DOG CARD

525—Faithful Sally, Kilgarve Border, Pro Bono, Dark Inler, Unitas, Moatbower Lad, Tiro Riac, Kagga.
525—Castle Down Light, Chicago Red, Leading Tanist, Brown's Special, Peter Wimsey, Jack E's Jack, Leo's Champion, Sweeping Valley.
360—Munster Express, Brownlow House, Knockler John, Kilnaglory Gambler, Kelville King, Quality Alone, Bally Sheen.
525—Britannia's Daughter, Blonders, Lissawney, Bright Iris, Firpark Jubilee, French Sailor, Ramoun, Well Salted.
525—Castledown Blonde, Barbara's Charm, Foggy River, Pop Them Off Again, Down Signal, Charming Prince.
525—Newhill Maid, Woodland Cut, Captured Bluebell, Fortunate Colleen, Waltz Time, Lady Gopher, Ballymastone Lass, Down the Dee.
525—Lonesome Wave, Jolly Hazel, Negro's Spitfire, Carolina's Daughter, Goulane, Bold Iris, Baylough's Best, Lavistown Lady.

ON THE WIRELESS TO-DAY

IRISH PROGRAMME

NEWS at 1.40, 6.45, 10.0 (Nuacht) and 10.10 p.m.

1.0—Concert. 1.45-2.30—Concert (continued). 6.0—"A Saint you may not know." 6.40—Sports Results. 7.5—"Ri-Ra is Ruacain" ar n-a ullmhu ag Roisin Ni Sheaghdha. 7.35—Programme of Poetry presented by Austin Clarke. 7.55—Ceol Gaedhealach. 8.15—"This week in 1795," recalled by Donagh MacDonagh. 8.30—"A Handful of Ballads," Micheal O Ceallachain. 8.45—"The Black Jesters." 9.15—Val Vousden, Entertainer. 9.30—"Making and Mending." 9.45—"Planning the Country." 10.30—"Songs," Leo Maguire and chorus.

B.B.C. PROGRAMMES

HOME SERVICE.

NEWS at 6 and 7 a.m.; 12 noon; 5, 8 and 11 p.m.

6.15—Exercises. 6.30—Music by Balakirev and Cui. 8.55—"Lift Up Your Hearts." 7.15—"Make Do and Mend." 7.20—Carroll Gibbons and his Orchestra. 8.0—Sandy Macpherson: Organ. 8.20—Ballet Music. 9.0—Holy Week Reading. 9.15—Service. 9.30—Music While You Work. 10.0—"Piano Music and Songs." 10.30—Geraldo. 11.0—Andre Kostelanetz and his Orchestra. 11.30—"Songs from the Shows." 12.15—"Bee Diseases." 12.30—Theatre Orchestra. 1.15—St. Patrick's Day. 1.55—Records. 2.0—Music While You Work. 2.30—Northern Orchestra. 4.0—News and Talk in Welsh. 4.20—Children's Hour. 5.30—"The World Goes By." 6.0—Scottish Orchestra. 6.45—"The Week in Westminster." 7.0—"Vaudeville of 1944." 8.20—American Commentary. 8.35—Sybil Thorndike in "Jane Clegg." 10.5—Maurice Winnick and his Orchestra. 10.35—Harry Leader and his Band.

The times given are Irish Summer Time. Readers in Northern Ireland and Great Britain must add one hour.

ALTERNATIVE SERVICE.

NEWS at 5.30 and 7 a.m., 12 noon; 2, 4, 6 and 8 p.m.
NEWS HEADLINES at 6, 8 and 11 a.m.; 1, 2.59 and 9.59 p.m.

5.42—Time to Dance. 6.1—Light Airs. 6.30—Orchestral Music. 7.15—"Jubilee." 7.45—Light Music. 8.15—Billy Ternent. 8.45—Variety Orchestra. 9.30—Devotional Music. 10.15—Sidney Davey and his Players. 10.45—"Starlight": Dorothy Carless. 11.2—To-day's Papers. 11.10—Service. 11.15—The Bishop of London. 11.30—Troise and his Mandoliers. 12.10—Commentary. 12.15—Light Music. 12.20—War Office. 12.30—By Way of Music. 1.1—Your Questions Answered. 1.30—"Hello, India." 2.10—Keeping in Touch. 2.15—Favourite Records. 2.30—Radio Newsreel. 2.45—Accent on Rhythm 3.0—Dance Music. 3.30—Association Football. 4.15—War Review. 4.25—Reginald King. 5.0—Shipmates Ashore. 5.30—Atlantic Spotlight. 6.10—News from Canada. 6.15—Favourite Records. 6.45—Band. 7.15—Football Results. 7.30—"It's All Yours." 8.5—Thank You for Your Letters. 8.15—"As the Commentators Saw It." 8.30—Johnny Canuck's Revue. 9.0—Light Orchestra. 9.30—Music While You Work.

TO-MORROW

IRISH PROGRAMME

NEWS at 6.45 and 10.0 p.m.

11.30 (approx.)—Solemn High Mass and Sermon from the Cathedral, Tuam. 12.45—Concert. 1.50-2.0—"Interlude": Robert Irwin. 2.0-2.30—Mozart: Piano Concerto in E flat major. 4.30—Easter Commemoration Concert from Cork. 5.30—"Tea-time Tunes." 6.0—Maude Hunter (contralto). 6.15—"Tasc is Tuairisc." 6.30—"Master Singers": Charles Kuhlmann. 7.0—"The Signatories—1916": Talk. 7.15—Madam Van Aalst's Quartet. 7.45—"Radio Digest." 8.15—"Question Time." 9.0—"Easter Week Memories," presented by Noel Hartnett. 9.55—Appeal on behalf of Our Lady's Working Girls' Hostel, Dublin. 10.20—Ceilidhe Octet and George Leonard (ambrain). 10.50—Gaelic Sports Talk.

B.B.C. PROGRAMMES

HOME SERVICE.

NEWS at 6 and 8 a.m., 12 noon, 5, 8 and 11 p.m.

6.0—"Jesus Christ is Risen To-day" and News. 6.15—Troise and his Mandoliers. 6.45—"Listen to the Band!" 7.15—"Concerto's Progress." 8.0—"Jesus Christ is Risen To-day" and News. 8.15—Handel and Purcell. 8.45—Light Orchestra. 9.30—Service for Easter Day. 10.30—"Music Lover's Calendar." 10.50—B.B.C. Orchestra. 11.50—Dilys Powell on Films. 12.15 p.m.—"Country Magazine." 12.45—In Your Garden. 1.0—"Voices of Spring." 2.0—Music While You Work. 2.30—Orchestra. 3.30—Egon Petri (piano). 3.45—"The Russian Church." 4.0—News and Choral Singing in Welsh. 4.20—Children's Hour. 5.30—"Transatlantic Call."—"Burlington, Vermont." 6.0—"What is Smallpox?" by "The Radio Doctor." 6.5—"Farming in Nigeria." Talk. 6.15—"Grand Hotel." 7.0—Evening Service. 7.40—Week's Good Cause. 7.45—"Into Battle." 8.30—"The King Comes to His Own." By Dorothy L. Sayers. 9.20—London Chamber Orchestra. 9.45—Epilogue. 9.53—Story for Bedtime: "The Gunga Din." 10.10—Balalaika and Guitar. 10.25—Schubert.

ALTERNATIVE SERVICE.

NEWS at 5.30 and 7 a.m.; 12 noon; 2, 4, 6 and 8 p.m.
NEWS HEADLINES at 6, 8 and 11 a.m.; 1, 2.59 and 9.59 p.m.

5.42—Medley. 6.1—Music for Easter. 6.30—Light Airs. 7.15—Sunday Serenade. 8.15—Messages from Overseas. 9.15—Service. 9.30—Music While You Work. 10.0—Cuban Rhythm. 10.15—Messages from Overseas. 10.30—Calling all Canadians. 11.2—Weekly Newsletter. 11.15—Light Music. 11.30—Easter Service. 12.10 p.m.—Commentary. 12.15—Easter Carols. 12.30—Brains Trust. 1.1—Sacred Music. 1.30—Shakespeare's Characters—"Polonius." (from "Hamlet"). 2.10—Records. 2.30—Radio Newsreel. 2.45—Football Results. 3.0—Palestine Half-Hour. 3.30—Tommy Handley in "ITMA." 4.15—C. A. Lejeune on Films. 4.30—Harry Fryer and his Orchestra. 5.0—"Variety Band-Box." 5.45—Handel's "Messiah." 6.10—News from Canada. 6.15—Favourite Records. 7.0—Calling Malta. 7.30—"Palace of Varieties." 8.5—Parliamentary Summary. 8.15—Sunday Half-Hour. 8.45—Scottish Orchestra. 9.25—Epilogue. 9.30—Music While You Work.

TO-DAY'S SPORTING FIXTURES

Racing.—Phœnix Park, 3.0. **Point-to-Point.**—Bree Harriers, Boolabawn, 3.0; Co. Down Staghounds. **Hunting.** — Ballymacad, Ballymanus, 12.0 (to finish the season). **Rugby.**—Leinster Senior Cup (at Lansdowne road)—Old Belvedere v. Curragh Command, 2.45; University College v. Blackrock College, 4.15. **Hockey** (3.0).—Senior League: Three Rock Rovers v. Portrane, Londonbridge road. Friendlies: Pembroke Wanderers v. Ulidians, Serpentine avenue; Railway Union v. East Antrim, Park avenue; Corinthians v. Short and Harlands, Imperial ground, Crumlin. **Soccer.**—Leinster League II v. Northern Ireland Amateurs, Dalymount Park, 3.30. **Golf.**—West of Ireland Championship, Rosses Point. **Greyhound Racing.**—Shelbourne Park, 7.30.

Juror's Appeal To Public in St. Leger Case

MR. JOHN ST. LEGER, the 55 years old County Carlow man, who had been missing from his home in Lower Baggot street, Dublin, for a month, and whose body was recovered from the Dodder Basin, died from fracture of the skull. The fracture was caused by a violent impact on the right side of the head just prior to death.

This was revealed by Dr. John McGrath, State Pathologist, at the resumed inquest at Londonbridge Road Morgue, Dublin, on Thursday last.

The foreman of the jury appealed to any person who had any connection with the unfortunate man to give every help to the Civic Guards, so that the jury might reach a clear verdict. It was up to everyone, as citizens, he said, to see that this affair was cleared up.

Similar attacks had been made in that locality, and it was well-known that people had been attacked and robbed of their money. Anything that might help the Guards or the voluntary services should be brought forward.

The County Coroner, Mr. J. P. Brennan, said that he wished to make it clear to the jury that it was contained in their oath that they were entitled to take into consideration matters of which they had personal knowledge or which were common knowledge.

The inquest was adjourned to June 6th.

CAUSE OF DEATH

Describing the result of the *post-mortem* examination,, which he carried out with Dr. A. Cooney, Dr. McGrath said that the brain showed some hæmorrhage on its surface. He would say that this hæmorrhage occurred during life. He was of the opinion that death was due to shock, following a fracture of the skull caused by a violent impact on the right side of the head.

Answering questions by the Coroner and jurors, Dr. McGrath said that only a very brief interval occurred between the time that Mr. St. Leger received the impact and the time of death. The action of respiration could have occurred in that brief interval.

The impact could have been caused by the deceased man falling from a height, and falling in such a way that it was not a glancing blow, and that no other injuries were inflicted. He could not say how long after the impact the body entered the water. The man could have hit his head violently against some object, and toppled into the water. Death occurred about March 1st last.

John Felton, of York street, Dublin, a relative of the dead man, said that he saw him at work in Messrs. Williams, Lower Baggot street, about February 28th. He had been ill some little time before.

Mr. L. J. Lysaght (Chief State Solicitor's Office) for the Attorney General, in applying for an adjournment pending the completion of the police inquiries, joined with the foreman of the jury in his expression of sympathy with the relatives of the deceased man. He said that he was sure they would have the co-operation of everyone in solving the mystery. On behalf of the authorities, he thanked the Press for the assistance given to the Guards in publishing photographs and the description of the dead man.

Following the adjournment of the inquest police activities have been intensified, and efforts are being made to locate the spot where the body entered the water. It is understood that the police are now pursuing a certain line of inquiry, which may give them a useful clue in their efforts to solve the mystery.

Admitted to Bail

On Thursday last, in the High Court, Mr. Justice Haugh heard an application by Mr. W. O'B. Fitzgerald, S.C., who appeared with Mr. S. V. Kirwan (instructed by Mr. V. Kirwan), to have admitted to bail Edward Cecil Flynn, Merrion square, who had been remanded in custody in the Dublin District Courts on a charge of conspiring, with others, to commit a crime punishable by law, and of procuring and abetting others to use unlawfully an instrument, or other unknown means, with intent to procure the miscarriage of a woman.

The application was granted, and bails fixed at £1,000 personal, and £1,000 independent, on condition that Flynn did not communicate with or speak to any of the State witnesses.

Jail Sentence Reduced.—County Court Judge Robb, at Ballybot Quarter Sessions, reduced a sentence of six months' imprisonment to two months, and remitted a fine of £25, in the case of Peter Hanratty, Crossmaglen, who had been sentenced at Crossmaglen for dealing in prohibited goods.

N.U.I. MATRICULATION. Classes for June and Sept. exams. ROSSE COLLEGE, Dublin. —(Advt.)

Industrials Still On The Upgrade

SOMETHING of a holiday atmosphere prevailed in the Stock Exchange on Thursday. The market thinned out early, and business was on a distinctly small scale. The "House" remains closed until Tuesday morning, and no one desires to enter upon new commitments prior to a long holiday.

Few interesting features developed during the day. Some disappointment was felt at the final Cunard Steam Ship dividend of 3½ p.c., and recent buyers of the shares up to nearly 25s. were sellers. The result was that the price was marked down to 22s. 10½d. The dividend makes a total of 6 p.c. for the year, and, in addition, an interim on account of the current year of 2½ p.c. is to be paid. The market view is that there will be a sharp recovery in the shares when recent speculative purchasers are out.

Among Industrials, Turner and Newall continued a good market with a further rise to 83s., and small advances were seen in Textiles. Rand Gold shares became irregular.

A COMPARISON

Although business is on a very moderate scale and fluctuations in prices are but small, the tendency continues upwards. Practically all the leading Industrial shares stand higher to-day than they did a year ago. Here is a comparison:—

	A Year Ago.	To-day's Price.
Courtaulds	49/3	52/9
B.A. Tobacco	4⅛	5⅛
Imp. Tobacco	7¼	7⅞
Distillers	84/3	88/6
Dunlop	31/9	41/0
Utd. Molasses	27/9	33/3
Coats	43/9	45/6
Cable Ord.	75½	81¼
Morris Motors	39/0	42/3
General Electric	88/6	91/9

The appreciation is not very great, but it continues the upward movement which has been in progress ever since the restrictions on new capital issues came into force. Investors are holding tightly to their stocks, chiefly because they can see no advantage in making a change.

Meanwhile, however, the margin between the yields obtainable from Gilt-edged stocks and the best Industrial shares is steadily diminishing. Some day, no doubt, the whole position will have to be reconsidered, and some readjustment in prices will take place.

BONUS DOUBLED

The past year has been a prosperous one for the woollen and worsted cloths manufacturers of Yorkshire. To-day comes the announcement by Geo. Mallinson and Sons, Ltd., of Huddersfield, of an increase in the bonus from 3½ p.c. to 7½ p.c. This, with the interim dividend of 7½ p.c. and the final of 17½ p.c., makes the total distribution for the year 32½ p.c., compared with 28½ p.c. in the two previous years. The announcement caused the 5/- Ord. shares to rise 1/- to 26/-.

Another satisfactory dividend announcement is made by the British United Shoe Machinery Co., Ltd., in the form of a final payment, free of tax, of 7½ p.c. An interim of 6 p.c., tax free, was made in September last, and the total is thus again made up to 13½ p.c. The company has a good record for profits and dividends. For some years before the war the dividend was a regular 15 p.c., with a bonus of 2 p.c. The £1 Ord. shares are quoted at 6½.

"IMPS" OUTLOOK

It has been suggested in some quarters that, in rising to within a few shillings of £8, Imperial Tobacco shares are being over-valued. However this great company is looked at—on past record, on present return to shareholders, or on future prospects, the outlook would appear to be favourable. It holds what may be regarded as an impregnable position in what is to-day an essential industry.

Its financial position is strong. To-day's yield on its shares, on the basis of the 17½ p.c., tax free, distribution paid for each of the past three years, is well up to the average return on high-class industrial investments. Its past record of distributions reaching as much as 25 per cent., tax free, cannot be overlooked. There are, indeed, many good reasons for believing that "Imps" are as sound an investment as can be imagined in these uncertain days.

Wall Street Closes Steady

NEW YORK, Thursday.—The Stock Exchange opened firm, but quiet. Dealings slowed appreciably after the opening, and towards mid-day mild irregularity prevailed. A few Rails, Motors, and specialities advanced moderately in the afternoon, although many of the leaders found difficulty in negotiating the recovery. Prices improved later in the afternoon, with advances predominating towards the close, which was steady. Sales totalling 758,000 shares comprised 845 issues, of which 360 were higher, 216 were lower and 269 were unchanged.

FOOD MARKETS

DUBLIN FISH.—On offer, 146 boxes from one trawler, 4 lots lobsters, 116 salmon, 440 boxes herrings 111 boxes mackerel, and a fair amount from country senders. Demand fair at:—Lobsters, 20/- to 56/- per 13; salmon 3/6 to 4/2, trout 3/- to 5/6, soles 1/6 to 3/5, turbot 1/6 to 1/11, brill 1/8 to 2/1 per lb.; herrings 20/- to 30/-, plaice 57/- to 160/-, mackerel 25/- to 32/6, dabs 23/- to 30/-, cod 40/- to 95/-, codling 60/-, whiting 26/- to 116/-, ray 25/- to 41/-, hake 110/-, pollock 50/- to 90/-, prawns 12/6 to 15/-, lemon soles 120/-, and gurnard 20/- to 25/- per box.

DUBLIN VEGETABLE.—Supplies up to average with demand and prices satisfactory at:—York cabbage, large 40/- to 90/-, small 15/- to 35/-; Savoy, large 25/- to 70/-, small 10/- to 25/- per load; Swede turnips 2/- to 4/6, mangolds 2/3 to 2/6 per cwt.; cauliflowers 3/6 to 6/-, seconds 1/- to 2/6; lettuce, indoor 2/6 per dozen; parsley 1/- artichokes 1/6 to 2/- per chip; carrots 3/6 to 5/-, rhubarb 3/- to 12/- per dozen bunches; parsnips 6/- to 8/- per bag; turnips 6d. to 10d., scallions 2/6 per bunch; and mushrooms, 5/- to 6/- per lb.

DUBLIN POTATO.—Supplies ample for requirements at late rates—Tipperary Dates and Champions 10/6, Kerr's Pinks and Spry's Abundance 10/-, and Banners 9/- per cwt. ex store.

DUBLIN POULTRY.—Good supplies, with values firm to dearer at:—Chickens, spring cockerels 3/1, small 2/3 to 2/4, large 1/8 to 1/11, hens 11d. to 1/1, turkeys 2/3 to 2/5 per lb.; rabbits, best 1/10 to 2/-, and guinea fowl 23/- to 25/- each.

Little Green Market, Dublin. CARTON BROS., LTD.—(Advt.)

DUBLIN BUTTER AND EGG.—Creams firm at 246/- per cwt., less box allowance. Eggs offering freely with demand improved at late rates. Specials 26/6 to 27/-, standards 25/- to 25/6, selected 23/- to 23/6; pullets 22/- to 22/6, seconds 21/- to 22/-, and duck 24/6 per 120.

MANCHESTER SALMON AND DEAD POULTRY.—As usual at Eastertide, salmon in very limited supply, mainly Irish; keen demand at official price—4/9 per lb., wholesale. Moderate consignment of dead poultry from Eire, the bulk consisting of fowls: seasonal shortage of other descriptions—all at 1/9 per lb. Some cases of rabbits available at 11½d. per lb., wholesale control price.

GRIMSBY FISH. Thursday.—Lemon soles, 15/6; plaice, 15/6; halibut, 21/6; dabs, 15/6; jumbo, gibber, medium and chat haddocks, large and medium sprags, codlings, ling, whiting (all with heads on), 6/5; smoked haddocks, 13/-; and smoked fillets, 16/6 per stone.

Irish Birth and Death Rates

The returns of the Registrar-General for births, deaths and marriages in Eire show that in 1943 there were 2,451 illegitimate births, representing a rate of 3.7 per cent. of the total births recorded.

While the number of marriages and births recorded during the year were at the same rate as those recorded in 1942, the figures for deaths showed an increase of .6 per 1,000 of the estimated population above those of the preceding year. The figures were, in 1942, 41,640, and, in 1943, 43,426. In 1943 the number of births and marriages recorded were 66,117 (including 2,451 illegitimate births) and 17,470, respectively. The figures for deaths from the principal epidemic diseases in 1943 were at the same rate as those for 1942. Deaths from influenza showed an increase of 80 over 1942. The rate of deaths of infants under one year of age per 1,000 births registered was 80, that for 1942 being 69.

For the final quarter of 1943 the figures for marriages, births and deaths of infants under one year of age show a decrease over the figures for the corresponding period in 1942. They are, for 1943 and 1942, respectively, 3,671 and 3,833; 15,237 and 15,760; and 1,248 and 1,229. The figures for deaths (all ages) show an increase over the figure for the corresponding period on 1942, the figures being, for 1943, 10,908, and, for 1942, 10,199.

The total of 444 deaths registered in Dublin City in the week ended April 1st last included 4 from diphtheria, 28 from tuberculosis; 14 deaths were caused by cancer and 40 by diseases of the heart. Births registered numbered 334—175 boys and 159 girls.

Distributive Workers Have £19,931

The membership of the Irish Union of Distributive Workers' and Clerks in good standing at the end of last year was 10,172, a record figure, and an increase of 585 over the membership for 1942.

This is stated in the forty-second annual report of the Union, which will be before the annual delegate meeting of that body at Galway on Easter Monday.

The income for the year, according to the report, amounted to £19,931, another record, while the surplus of £5,125 was the highest ever.

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Rails Easier in Quiet Stock Markets

ON the Dublin Stock Exchange on Thursday, public interest was on a restricted scale and markets made a quiet showing. Irish securities attracted all the attention, and Industrials were firm. Home Rails, on small selling, inclined to give way.

Owing to the restriction in telephone communication with England, leading Industrials were neglected.

Among Home Government Funds, 4 p.c. Conversion Loan gave way to 109¾, and 3¼ p.c. National Security Loan eased to 106⅛, but 4½ p.c. Land Bonds firmed up to 116⅜. 3½ p.c. War Loan hardened to 104 7/16.

In Banks, Hibernian eased to 52/- and Royals to 13¾, but Munster and Leinsters advanced 1/6 to 135/-. Guinness units enjoyed quiet support up to 127/-.

Home Rails encountered fresh selling pressure. Great Northern Ord. dipped to 21¼, and the Deb. lost a point at 85, but the Pref. advanced 1¼ points to 39½.

Great Southern Ord. relapsed to 49 in a small way, and the Guaranteed lost a point at 66, while the Deb. were lowered to 90. Dublin Transport Ord. hardened to 26/-.

Alliance Gas Ord. shaded off to 20/1½, and Irish Cinema Pref. to 21/-. Irish Times 2nd Pref. improved to 19/6, and Pye (Ireland) Ord. to 8/3.

A small lot of Dolphin Hotel Pref. changed hands at 90/-. These shares have not changed hands for almost a year, when the price was 73/9. Irish-American Oil Pref. gained 1/- at 29/6. R. Thomas Ord. firmed up to 10/9.

The Dublin Stock Exchange will not re-open until Tuesday next.

John Power Share Offer

John Power and Son, Ltd., is to offer part of its £200,000 of 10s. Ordinary stock units at 12s. each on the Dublin Stock Exchange next week. The stock carries a full year's dividend to June 30th next, payable in August.

For the last two years the company has paid 6 per cent., and at the price of issue an investor will receive a 5 per cent. yield if the dividend is maintained.

In December, 1933, the capital was reduced from £800,000 to £200,000 by writing 10s. off nominal and paid up amount of each £1 Ordinary share, and by repaying 400,000 £1 Preference shares at par, repayment being effected by the issue of 5 per cent. Debenture, which has a market value of 23s. 6d. to-day.

McBirney's Heavy Taxes

After providing £15,606 for taxation (against £8,423) the net profit of McBirney and Co., Ltd., the well-known drapery firm, was actually higher than in the previous year at £3,519 (against £2,321), but the directors are placing this balance to reserve account.

The Ordinary dividend has not been paid since 1924 and the £1 Preference shares are quoted 7/-, while the £1 Preference stand at 17/6. The meeting is to be held on April 20th.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

(*) Odd lot. (a) Asked. (b) Bid. (Previous prices in parentheses.)

GOVERNMENT FUNDS — 3½ p.c. Fourth National Loan (Deed), 106; 4 p.c. Conversion Loan (110), 109¾; do. Decd, 109¾; 3¾ p.c. Financial Agreement (108¼), 108¼; do. (under £200) (108½), 108; 3¼ p.c. National Security (106¼), 106⅛; 4½ p.c. Land Bonds (116 5/16), 116⅜, ½, ½; 4 p.c. Land Bonds (under £200) (106¾), 106¾; 2½ p.c. Consols (78¾), 78¾; 3½ p.c. War Loan (104⅜), 104 7/16; do. (under £200) (104¼), 104¼.

BANKS—Bank of Ireland (331½), 330b, 332a; Hibernian (52/6), *52/-; Munster and Leinster (133/6), *135/-; National (49/6), 49/6a; Provincial Old (49/-), 49/6a; do. New (48/6), 49/-b; Royal (14), *13¾.

BREWERIES—Cairnes Ord. (20/-), 20/-b, 21/-a; Guinness Ord. (126/6), 126/10½, 7/-.

SHIPPING — Grand Canal Pref. (123/-), 120/-b, 130/-a.

RAILS, ETC.—Great Northern Ord. (21½), 21¼; do. Pref. (38¼), *39½; do. Guar. (62), 60b, 62a; do. Deb. (86), 85; Great Southern Ord. (51), *48, *9; do. Guar. (67), *66; do. Deb. (90½), 90; Dublin Transport Ord. (25/10½), *26/-; do. Pref (25/10½), 25/9b.

IRISH INDUSTRIALS—Alliance Gas Ord. (20/3), *20/1½; Assoc. Chocolate Deb. (21/-), 21/-, 1/-; Burke (E. and J.) Ord. (6/-), 6/-b; do. Def. (4/-), 4/-b; do. Pref. (10/-), 9/9b; Carroll Ord. (35/-), 35/-a; Cement Ord. (43/3), 43/-b; Clondalkin Paper Ord. (6/7½), 6/6b, 6/9a; Dolphin Hotel Pref. (73/9), *90/-; Goulding Ord (29/10½), 30/-a; do. Pref. (27/-), 27/-; Helys Pref. (28/3), 28/3; Independent "B" Ord. (85/-), 85/-b; Irish American Oil Pref. (28/6), 29/6; Irish Cinema Pref. (21/3), 21/-; Irish Tanners Pref. (27/6), 27/6b; Irish Times 2nd Pref. (19/-), 19/6; Ranks Ord. (13/-), 13/-b, 14/-a; Switzer Deb. (10), 9½b, 10a; Pye Ord (8/-), 8/3; Smyth (32/-), 31/-b, 32/-a; Solus "A" Ord. (45/6), 43/-b; Green Cinema Pref. (18/9), 18/9a; Woodington Pref. (19/6), 19/6; Yam Seng Rubbers (1/3), 1/3b, 1/7½a.

BRITISH INDUSTRIALS — Thomas (R.), 10/9.

LONDON CLOSING PRICES

BRITISH FUNDS

Stock			Stock		
Consols 2½%	79	79¼	3½% Conversion	104⅛	104⅜
Do. 4%	110	110¼	3% Conversion	99¾	100
3½% War Loan	104 3/16	104 5/16	2½% Land	90	92
3% War Loan	100 11/16	100 13/16	I.F.S. 4½% Land	115½	117½
Funding Loan	112⅜	112⅝	Local Loans	94⅛	94⅜
Victory Bonds	111½	112½	Nat Def. 2½%	100½	101½
3% Conversion	102½	103			

BONDS—RAILS—BANKS

Stock	Price	Change
Brazil 20-Yr. A	76	−½
Do. 40 Yr. B	65	
Gt. Western	59¾	
L.M.S. Ord.	31	
Do. 4% Pref.	76	
Do. 5% Rd. P.	104½	
Do. 4% Pf. '23	59½	
L.N.E. Pf. Ord.	9⅛	
Do. Def.	4½	
Do. 1st Pref.	59½	
Do. 2nd Pref.	32¼	
Sth. Pref Ord	76½	
Sth. Def. Ord	24⅝	
Do. 5% Pref.	114	
Arg. Gt. W. 5% Deb.	58	
B.A. Gt. Sth.	13½	−¼
Do. 4% Deb.	61	
B.A. and Pac. 4% Deb.	69	
Do. Con. 4½% Deb.	55	
B.A. & Western	11½	+¼
Do. 4% Deb.	52	
Canadian Pac.	15 11/32	−1/32
C.Arg. 4% Deb.	52½	
Do. 5% Deb. 1967-87	46	
Bank of Eng.	374½	
Barclay A	56/0	
Hong Kong & Shanghai	74½	
Lloyds	62/6	
Midlands	10 5/16	
Westminster	73/0	
Do. £4. £1 pd.	94/0	

OILS—RUBBERS.

Stock	Price	Change
Anglo-Iranian	116/3	
Attock	46/10½	+0/7½
Burmah	80/0	−0/7½
Can. Eagle	11/3	
Mex. Eagle	11/6	
Shell	75/0	
Trin. Lease	84/4½	
Do. Pet. Dev	80/7½	
Anglo-Dutch	14/10½	
Anglo-Malay	6/7	
Highlands	17/0	
Kuala Lumpur	16/3	
Malacca	12/0	
Malayalam	34/3	
Rubber Trust	17/4½	
U. Sua Betong	27/9	
Utd. Serdang	1/7½	

* Ex Dividend. ‡ Ex Bonus † Ex Rights.

INDUSTRIALS.

Stock	Price	Change
Austin (5/-)	26/3	+0/3
Assoc. Cement	63/0	
Babcock & W.	50/0	
Brown (J.)	27/0	−0/1½
B.S.A.	24/3	
Bleachers	10/0	+0/3
Brad. Dyers	21/3	
Braz. Trac.	27¾	−1/32
Brit. Celanese	27/0	−0/3
Brit. Match	41/3	
B.A. Tobacco	109/4½	
Beechams Def.	17/0	
Boots Drug	42/9	
Brit. Alum.	47/6	
Brit. Oxygen	80/0*	
Brit. Platr. Bd.	30/6	+0/3
Br. P. Cement	82/6	
Bass	168/0	
Brit Insulated	106/10½*	
Coast Lines	15/6	
Cab & W. Ord	81¼	+⅛
Calico Print	15/6	
Coats	45/7½	
Cory, Wm.	93/0	
Clan Line	5¾	+⅛
Cunard	23/6	
Courtaulds	52/9	−0/1½
Carreras B.	18/0	
De La Rue	8 11/16	+1/16
Dorman L.	27/0	
Dunlop	40/10½	
Distillers	88/9	+0/3
Elec. & Mus.	[illegible]	
English Cotton	4/4½	
Ever Ready	[illegible]	
Ford	32/10½	+0/6
Fine Spinners	22/0	
Gallaher	6 27/32	
Guinness	128/0	
Gen Elec.	91/9	+0/3
Harrods	53/6	+0/6
Hudson's Bay	62/0	−0/3
Hawker Sid.	18/6	
Harland & W.	14/6	
Imp. Tobacco	7 27/32	
Imp. Chemical	38/6	
Int. Nickel	36¾	
Leyland	75/3	
Lever	35/6	
Lever N.V.	31/3	−0/7½
London Brick	62/6	
Morris	42/0	
Murex	103/1½	
Marks & S.	56/0	
Pressed Steel	30/6	
P. & O. Def.	35/9	
Raleigh	77/0	
Rolls Royce	101/3	
Siemens	30/4	

INDUSTRIALS (Contd.)

Stock	Price	Change
Stewart & L	55/0	
Sudan Plants.	45/3	+0/3
Thomas (R.)	10/6	+0/1½
Tob Secs. T.	74/4½	
Tate & Lyle	69/0	+0/7½
Triplex	37/0	+0/4½
Tube Invest.	96/6	
Turner & N	82/10½	+0/4½
United Steel	25/0	
United South	82/6	−1/3
Utd Molasses	33/3	
Vickers	19/1½	
Wall Paper Df	38/6	
White Tomkin	44/0	
Watney Def.	80/9	
Woolworth	51/0	

MINES.

Stock	Price	Change
Ang. Am. Inv.	55/0	
Ashanti	59/9	−0/3
Bibiani	27/6	+0/3
Blyvoor	88/9	
Brakpan	22/9	+0/3
Chartered	26/3*	
Cons Diam'd	40/0	+0/4½
Cons Afr. Sel.	22/3	
Cons. G.F.	54/4½	
Crown	7½	
Daggafontein	42/6	
De Beers	19 1/32	+1/32
East Dagga.	45/0	
East Geduld	9	
E. Rand Prop.	40/0	
Geduld	8	
Govt Areas	40/0	
J'burg Cons.	61/10½	
Langlaagte	5/9	
Libanon	19/3	−0/3
Luipaards	19/6	
Marievale	29/6	
Nigel Gold	52/6	+1/3
Roan	9/6	
Rhod. Ang. A.	16/6	
Rhodesian Sel	11/6	
Rhokana	6⅝	
Rio Tinto	14	
Simmer & J	11/3	+0/9
Springs	18/9	+0/7½
S.A. Land	68/9	
Venterspost	33/1½	+1/3
Vereeniging	63/9	
Victoria Falls	82/9	
Vlakfontein	28/9	+0/7½
Vogels'bult	26/10½	
West Holding	36/3	−0/7½
West Reefs	69/4½	+0/7½
West Springs	25/0	
West Wits	10½	
Wit Nigel	7/3	

Hand-picking Oyster Beds

A sworn inquiry to ascertain if the hand-picking on oyster beds at Clarenbridge, Co. Galway, should be prohibited was held in Galway by Mr. G. P. Farran, Chief Departmental Inspector of Fisheries, and Mr. A. J. Want, Departmental Inspector of Fisheries at Clarenbridge, as the result of an application for the prohibition of hand-picking made to the Minister by those who dredge oysters in the district. The chief arguments used in support of the demand were that hand-picking diminished the productivity of the beds, as thousands of undersized oysters were taken away annually, and the oyster spawn was destroyed by trampling.

Evidence to this effect was given by Mr. M. Haneffy, Secretary, Clarenbridge Oyster Beds Committee.

Mr. P. Tierney said that he would not object to hand-picking if the undersize oysters were not taken.

Soldier's Fatal Fall From Lorry

On Thursday evening an Army lorry, laden with coal, from the Curragh Camp to Kilkenny, overturned at Seamus's Cross, near Suncroft, Co. Kildare. Private Thomas Doogue (24), of Kilcrow, Athy, who was travelling in the lorry with two other privates, was thrown on to the road and killed. The driver, Private J. Lannigan, and Private Keogh, are at present in the Curragh Military Hospital suffering from shock and superficial injuries.

At an inquest, held by Dr. Jer. O'Neill, County Coroner, at the Curragh Military Hospital yesterday, a verdict of accidental death was returned.

Hospital Facilities in South Tipperary

When the facilities for the sick poor in the county hospitals were referred to by Mr. D. O'Sullivan at South Tipperary County Council meeting, the Assistant County Manager (Mr. Hayes) pointed out that all the hospitals, excepting the County Hospital in Cashel, were old buildings. There were proposals to improve three of them and to provide a new district hospital for Clonmel. The only reason those proposals were not carried out was because of circumstances over which the council or other authorities had no control. The county hospital had cost £90,000, and he was satisfied that it was giving excellent service.

Farm Work for Boxers

Work on the farm is helping the boys of the Oliver Plunket Colony, Mulhuddart, County Dublin, run under the auspices of the Brothers of St. John of God, to keep fit for their boxing activities. Boxing was introduced into the Colony only a few years ago, but to-day the boys are experts. Sixteen acres of winter wheat and twenty acres of other crops have been sown on the farm, and oats and root crops are being sown on a newly-acquired seventy acres field.

1916-'21 Club.—The following are declared elected to the Council:—President, Mr. M. W. O'Reilly; Vice-Presidents, Piaras Beaslai and Colonel E. Broy; Hon. Secretary, Colonel T. E. Gay; Hon. Treasurer, Sean O'Sullivan. Council—Cathal O'Shannon, Liam Kenny, James McDermott, James Mallon, Sean Murphy, Brendan J. Lyons, Sean McGarry, P. Belton, S. J. O'Reilly, T. Sheerin, R. Somerville, Captain McDonagh, P. McMahon, P. Fleming, M. J. Lennon, D.J., and Jack O'Sheehan.

Turf Production in Cork

Compulsory labour was among the suggestions put forward at Cork County Council meeting, when the turf drive was discussed. The County Manager (Mr. J. F. Wrenne) reported turf expenditure to date was £131,487, and receipts £99,155.

Following a discussion, the meeting endorsed the recommendations of Mr. T. J. Murphy, T.D., that old bogs be put into production; that wages and working conditions be revised; that, failing suitable transport, living accommodation and food be provided at the bogs; that a bonus on production be paid in addition to wages; that the County Council, if necessary, acquire by compulsion bogs for letting to private persons. The Council also expressed the view that free sale should be permitted to the County Council of all turf cut by them, and that persons engaged in turf cutting should be granted extended facilities for its sale.

Double Taxation Agreement Stands

Sir John Anderson, Chancellor of the British Exchequer, in a written reply, states that he sees no sufficient reason for ending the double taxation agreement between the British and Eire Governments, which was concluded in April, 1926. Under the agreement each country exempts from its tax persons not resident in its territory, but who live in the other country, while double taxation relief is given to persons resident and taxable in both countries.

Waterford Fraud Charge

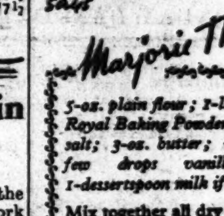
Pleading guilty to charges of having conspired with each other and divers other persons to obtain money by fraud and false pretences in the management of a competition, Patrick Quirke, The Quay, and James O'Brien, Bridge street, Waterford, were returned for trial, on bail, to the Circuit Court at a Special Court in Waterford by District Justice McCabe.

Witnesses gave evidence that they had received letters from the defendants stating that witnesses names had been used in a "Simple Solve Competition" by the defendants; that the witnesses would receive cheques for certain sums, and that they were to cash the cheques and send the money back to defendants, minus 10s. or 20s. In one instance, a cheque for £20 was handed to a Civic Guard in Dundalk, as the witness had taken no part in the competition. In another a cheque for £5 was held for using a witness's name without his consent.

AUCTION SALES

Messrs. Battersby and Co. will offer for auction at their property salerooms, 39 Westmoreland street, on April 13th, 24 Brighton Square, Rathgar, attractive residence, with possession; 28-29 Upper Gardiner street, two solidly-built houses, let in flats, and producing £348 p/-yearly. On April 14th they will sell the office equipment and furniture of 5 South Frederick street.

On Thursday, April 13th, Messrs. Thos. Dockrell, Sons and Co. will hold an auction of antique and high-class furniture at 43 Grosvenor road, Rathmines, at 12 noon. On April 20th, at their salerooms, South Great George's street, at 1.30 p.m., they will offer 68 Cowper road, Rathmines; Carnrisk, 60 Fortfield road, Terenure, on about half an acre; 428 Harold's Cross road, Terenure; Nos. 43 and 43a Ballybough road; and 4 Portobello road, an investment property, will be sold in three lots.



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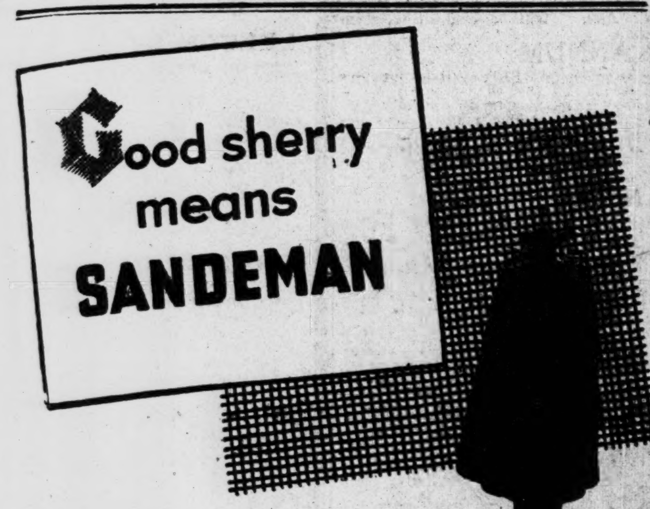

Cultivation of Annuals

By G. O. SHERRARD.

THE main function of hardy annuals is to provide temporary colour in the garden with a minimum of expense and trouble; in addition, many of them are valuable for cutting, particularly the sweet pea, which is grown chiefly for that purpose. In a newly-made garden, where the permanent plants have not yet had time to spread, hardy annuals can be usefully employed to give colour in the first year or two. In the herbaceous border they serve the purpose of filling the gaps left by bulbs or spring bedding plants when these pass out of flower. They are used in this rôle in the great herbaceous borders of the Botanic Gardens. As occupants of lawn beds they are not a great success, owing to the comparatively short flowering period that many of them have—not all, because the nasturtium and the marigold (Calendula) flower throughout the summer. Curiously enough, the flowering period of annuals is prolonged by sowing in autumn, either in cold frames or in mild districts in the open ground.

SOWING

The present is the time to make the spring sowing of these plants. Their wants are simple—a moderate dressing of well-decayed manure or compost, together with a little bone meal and hoof and horn dust, dug into the site will supply all their needs. Some used potting soil, if available, would help to improve the texture of the site. The sweet pea, when grown for cutting, receives more elaborate treatment than this, details of which I have not space to enter into here, save to say that a deep and wide trench is made, into which all manner of tit-bits for the roots are put—chopped up sods, leaf mould, manure, old potting soil, etc. In this the plants, previously raised under glass, are planted this month. The other annuals are sown on their prepared sites, either broadcast or in seed drills, spaced about 4 ins. apart. The seed should be sown rather thinly, and covered with fine soil.

There is a good number of hardy annuals to choose from. The nasturtium and marigold might be selected where a long display of colour is required, and the second of these is a very useful cut flower. Clarkia and Godetia give both good colour and cutting. The annual larkspur makes an effective clump in the herbaceous border. The cornflower provides blue colour, which is always attractive in a garden, and so does the love-in-a-mist (Nigella). Annual chrysanthemums make a bright splash of colour, and lavatera is a good tall annual, of which there are not many. Coreopsis is useful for cutting and mignonette for fragrance. Shirley Poppies make a very brilliant display in the garden, and look equally well in the house.

Amongst the smaller annuals, bartonia, candytuft, viscaria, and eschscholtzia are all worthy of a place towards the front of a border. A point of importance in the cultivation of annuals is to thin the seedlings sufficiently to give each plant room to develop. From 4 to 8 inches should be allowed between plants, according to the variety grown.

Unemployment Returns

The total live register shows the following unemployment figures for Eire on April 1st:—Men, 54,555, compared with 66,041 last year; women, boys and girls, 66,926, compared with 80,190 last year.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

"CAOGU BLIAIN A' FAS"

A CHARA,—Dathad bliadhain o shoin bhí beirt Eamonn O'Neill ag oibriughadh i gConnradh na Gaedhilge — Eamonn mór agus Eamonn beag. Is dócha go bfuilimid araon ar aon aigne fós i gcúis na teangan, acht ba mhaith liom ag cuir i núil do cách gurab é Eamonn beag a thug an léigheacht san Ard Craobh an tseachtmhain seo.

EAMONN (MOR) O'NEILL.

Clonn-Sáile.

[TRANSLATION]

"FIFTY YEARS GROWING"

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Forty years ago there were two Eamonn O'Neill's working in the Gaelic League—big Eamonn and small Eamonn. I suppose we are still at one mind on the question of the language, but I would like to inform you that it was small Eamonn who gave the lecture to the Ard Craobh this week.—Yours, etc.,

BIG EAMONN O'NEILL.

Kinsale, Co. Cork,
April 1st, 1944.

"DISTORTED CREEDS"

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—One cannot read the Rev. W. H. Coulter's righteous defence of Canon Simpson's remarks regarding Unitarianism, etc., without some misgivings.

Are we to take it that the reference to "Distorted Creeds" was simply a statement of facts? If so, was this information never inculcated into the youthful clerica during the course of their ministerial studies? Surely the Ordination signifies that the student has been deemed sufficiently proficient to act as a disciple for his creed. No doubt, consequently, one can reasonably assume that he has been well versed in all aspects of other Christian faiths to enable him carry the banner of his own dogma through all theological storms. Logically, therefore, it does appear peculiar that two well-known Churches should be singled out by a worthy dignatory for censure at an Ordination Service.

No. The only conclusion to be drawn from Canon Simpson's pronouncement is that it was simply a scurrilous attack from a doctrinal stronghold whose ritualistic bastions were even now reeling under the fierce blows of Unorthodoxy in its search for the ultimate truth, so rationally and radiantly exemplified by Jesus Christ.—Yours, etc.,

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143 Seafield road, Clontarf,
Dublin, April 5th, 1944.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES

SIR,—The reference to Christian Science in the letter of the Rev. William H. Coulter in the *Irish Times* of the 4th inst. is misleading to your readers, both directly and by implication. Kindly permit me to correct this false impression by quoting two of the tenets of Christian Science, as stated on Page 497 of the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health, with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy:—

(2) "We acknowledge and adore one supreme and infinite God. We acknowledge His Son, one Christ; the Holy Ghost or divine Comforter; and man in God's image and likeness."

(4) "We acknowledge Jesus' atonement as the evidence of divine, efficacious Love, unfolding man's unity with God through Christ Jesus the Way-shower; and we acknowledge that man is saved through Christ, through Truth, Life and Love as demonstrated by the Galilean Prophet in healing the sick and overcoming sin and death."

Christian Scientists are not concerned with the creeds and dogmas of the later centuries, but with the pristine purity and beauty of the teachings of Jesus as found in the New Testament—with that very faith, "which was once delivered unto the saints" (Jude 3), and they prove this faith by their works, healing sickness and destroying sin, even as the Master commanded.

Christian Scientists keep before them that motto of St. Paul, "Prove all things: hold fast that which is good." (1. Thess. 5: 21.)—Yours, etc.,

WALTER T. SCOTT,
Christian Science Committee on Publication for Co. Dublin.
45 Molesworth street, Dublin.

SUMMER-TIME

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I was very interested in reading your leading article on Double Summer-time. Some considerable time before I ever heard of Mr. William Willett or summer-time I was coming over to Cork in one of the cross-Channel boats with a friend. We came up on deck after our late evening meal, and I was suddenly struck by the glorious beauty of the evening and the lovely scenery around us. I said to my friend: Do you know what I would do if I were in Parliament and had the necessary backing? I would put on all the clocks one hour, and think of what another hour of beautiful sunshine and scenery we could be enjoying now. He looked at me, but did not say much at the time. When we got home he told his family of my "dream," and they laughed heartily at my "hare-brained" scheme. This damped my ardour considerably, and I thought no more about it. What a chance I lost of going down to posterity in the company of William Willett, a better man. My friend has gone to where the Light is shining always, but some of his family are alive to testify to the accuracy of my statement. My main object in writing this letter is thoroughly to endorse your plea for "Double Summer-time." Looking at it from the most materialistic point of view, the saving in electricity alone would amply justify its adoption in Eire, and I sincerely hope our Government will get busy about it.—Yours, etc.,

A. NELSON COLE.

Youghal, Co. Cork,
April 4th, 1944.

"DAMAGED GOODS"

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The spontaneous and intelligent criticism expressed by most of your correspondents on the above subject is a refreshing antidote to the announcement banning "Damaged Goods."

Mr. Forde's platitudes, however, are not helpful. He asks: "What has become of religion"? I answer: It is still there, and the clergy are doing their best to safeguard youth. But a mere recital of the decalogue, etc., is not sufficient to restrain young manhood from folly. A strong deterrent is needed, which is brought prominently under our notice in "Damaged Goods." I witnessed the play in the Gaiety Theatre, Dublin, in the year 1917, and still possess the programme.

Apropos of this subject I also heard the invaluable lectures of that noble preacher, Dr. Harry Grattan Guinness (since deceased), on "Social Purity," in the Metropolitan Hall, Lower Abbey street, in the closing years of last century. Mr. Varley, who also lectured on the same subject about the same period, provided some very useful books for young men—e.g., "The Curse of Manhood." I can now visualise how much good might have been frustrated if play, lectures, or books had been prohibited. "Nuff said."—Yours, etc.,

"ANCHORED."

Bray, Co. Wicklow,
April 4th, 1944.

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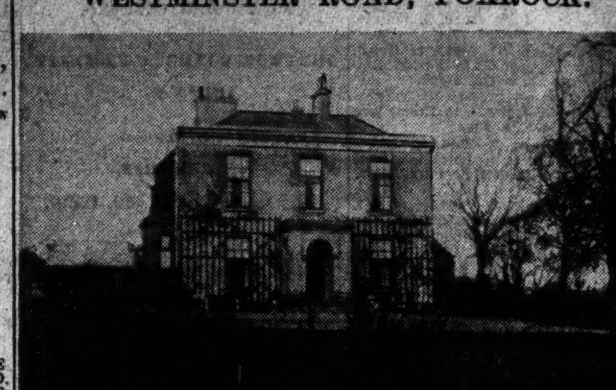

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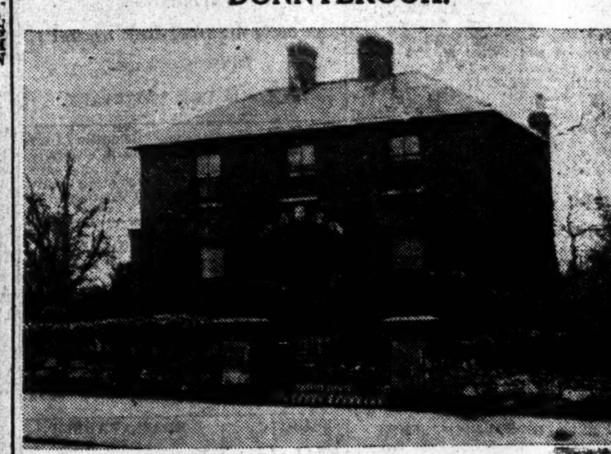

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LOT 2—Part of the lands of Hollywood Lower, containing 23a. 3r. 19p., or thereabouts, statute measure; Poor Law valuation, £19 on lands and £8 on buildings; part of the lands of Newtown, containing 46a. 3r. 16p., like measure; Poor Law valuation, £27 15/-; and part of the lands of Hollywood Upper, containing approximately 4a. 3r. 0p., statute measure; Poor Law valuation approximately £4 10/-. All the above lands are held free of rent.

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Smithfield House	£32	10	0	(Irish Currency)			
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HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE—IN BANKRUPTCY.
In the Matter of SYDNEY EDWIN COOPER, of 5 South Frederick Street, Dublin, Bankrupt.

BATTERSBY & CO. have received instructions from JAMES J. DOYLE, Esq., Official Assignee in Bankruptcy, to Sell by Public Auction, at 5 SOUTH FREDERICK STREET, DUBLIN, on FRIDAY NEXT, 14th APRIL, 1944, at 12 NOON, Office Furniture and Equipment, including: "Dictagraph" House Telephone System, 4 Extensions and Keyboard; 2 "Dictaphone" Dictating Machines, 2 Recording and 1 Shaving Machines, "Remington" Brief No. 12 Typewriter, "Underwood" 16-inch and 14-inch Typewriters, "L. C. Smith" Brief 14-inch Typewriter, "Remington" No 2 Portable Typewriter, "Protectograph" Cheque-writing Machine, "Borrough's" Portable Adding Machine, "Milner" Safe, 2 drawers, 22" x 18" x 15½"; "Turner" Safe, 1 drawer, 23" x 16" x 14"; "Milner" Strong Box, 19" x 15" x 13"; 2 two-door Safes, 2 drawers, 29" x 24" x 18", and 32" x 29" x 20", "Perry" Safe, 1 drawer 20" x 12" x 12"; Deed Boxes, Steel and Oak Filing Cabinets, Oak Roll-top Desk, do. Pedestral Desk, Mahogany Writing Tables and Pedestal Desks Mahogany Break-front Bookcase, 8' 4" x 7' 6" x 1' 8"; do. Wall-hanging Bookcase, do. Long Bookcase, fitted pigeon-holes, 9' 6" x 8' x 1' 8"; Mahogany Counter, 13' x 2' 4" x 3' 10"; Oak pigeon-hole Press (roll shutter front, 9' 6" x 8" x 1' 8"), Mahogany and Oak Office Chairs and other Office Furniture and Equipment, Stationery, ¼ h.p. Electric Motor; also important and up-to-date Library of Law Books, etc.

On View day previous, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Terms—Cash and Five per cent. Commission. Ticket, 1/-.

JAMES J. DOYLE, Esq., OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE, FOUR COURTS, DUBLIN.

THURSDAY, 27th APRIL, at 2.30 p.m.,
AT OUR SALEROOMS, 39 WESTMORELAND ST.
(UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF).
Executor's Sale—Florence H. Dease, Deceased.

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WE have been instructed by Charles G. Carson, Esq., to SELL ABOVE BY AUCTION
In CITY ARMS HOTEL, PRUSSIA STREET, DUBLIN,
On MONDAY, 1st MAY, at 12 o'clock Noon.

Particulars—The property, which is situated on the main Dublin-Belfast road, ½ mile beyond Swords, contains 44 Statute acres, being part of the lands of Lissenhall Great, and held in Fee-simple.

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P.L.V.: Lands, £58 5s. 0d.; Buildings, £23 15s. 0d. (Current Rates, £43 15s. 9d.).

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M.I.A.A.

PROPERTY AUCTION, at 4 LEINSTER STREET, STH.,
On WEDNESDAY, APRIL 19th, at 2 o'clock, INCLUDES
(IF NOT PREVIOUSLY SOLD)

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LOT 1—52 NORTH GREAT CHARLES STREET.

A substantial city house, let to excellent tenants. Easily managed. The property is held for ever, subject to £10 12s. 4d. p.a. P.L.V., £24. Net profit per annum £98.

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LOT 3—22 UPPER RUTLAND STREET.

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LOT 4—23 UPPER RUTLAND STREET.

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INVESTMENT.

LOT 5—24 UPPER RUTLAND STREET,

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FOR AUCTION ON A DATE TO BE ARRANGED
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On THURSDAY, APRIL 20th, at 12 o'clock,

AT 9 WINDSOR TERRACE, DUN LAOGHAIRE (SEA FRONT).

VIEW WEDNESDAY, APRIL 19th, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Ticket 1/- to View and Sale. Terms—Cash and 5 per cent. fees.
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TORMEY BROS. AUCTIONS.

EXECUTORS' SALE—In re Mrs. MARGARET FITZPATRICK, Deceased.
HOUSE AND FURNITURE AUCTION, at the Premises,

7 WESLEY ROAD, RATHGAR ROAD,

MONDAY, 17th APRIL, 1944.

HOUSE SELLING AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON, FURNITURE IMMEDIATELY AFTERWARDS.

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WE have been instructed to SELL the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, on WEDNESDAY NEXT, 12th APRIL, at 2 o'clock, at OUR SALESROOMS, 31 MANOR STREET, DUBLIN—Pursuant to an Order of the Court, All That and Those Part of the Lands of Bealinstown, containing 139 acres and 15 perches, S.M., comprising Folio 1180, Land Register. Subject to L.C.A. of £64 0s. 4d. P.L.V. on Lands £118, on Buildings £14.

With a newly-built two-storey House and Out-offices. The lands are worked as a mixed farm and are situated 10 miles from Dublin, 2 miles from Donabate Station and 2 miles from Swords.

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

Notices in this Column (which must be authenticated) are charged for at 1/- per line (minimum 3/-).

BIRTHS.

FOLEY—March 31, 1944, at Leinster Nursing Home, to Aileen, wife of Tom Foley, Woodside, Park Drive, Rahmines, a daughter.

FOSTER—March 31, 1944, to Helen, wife of Rev. Charles G. P. Foster, Killorglin Rectory, Co. Kerry, a son.

GORSUCH—April 1, 1944, at 19 Richmond avenue, Monkstown, to Ethel, wife of E. R. Gorsuch, a son.

HACKETT—April 1, 1944, at Hatch Street Nursing Home, to Loretto, wife of E. J. Hackett, 5 Castleview Park, Malahide, a daughter.

HUDSON—April 1, 1944, at St. Mary's Nursing Home, Nenagh, to Nina, wife of W. O. Hudson, a daughter.

JOHNSON—March 21, 1944, at Garden Hill Nursing Home, Sligo, to Maureen, wife of Cecil Johnson, Church View, Dromahair, a daughter.

JONES—March 22, 1944, at Rotunda Hospital, to Ethel, wife of J. C. Jones, Berwyn, Lansdowne Park, Ballsbridge, a son.

McTIGUE—March 15, 1944, at Our Lady of Lourdes Hospital, Drogheda, to Mary (*née* Farrelly), wife of Martin J. McTigue, Garda Siochana, Dundalk, a son.

MOLONY—March 28, 1944, at Glenvera Nursing Home, Cork, to Briga, wife of Comdt. J. J. Molony, A.M.S., a daughter.

MARRIAGE.

McCARTNEY and WILKINSON—March 24, 1944, at Rugby Avenue Congregational Church, Belfast, by Rev. J. Young, Albert Andrew McCartney, A.C.A. (formerly of 70 Deramore avenue, Belfast, now serving with Royal Navy), eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. John McCartney, Main street, Bailieborough, Co. Cavan, to Annabella Mary Wilkinson, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John William Wilkinson, Srah House, Rathdowney, Queen's County.

DEATHS.

ANDERSON—April 6, 1944, at Grace Dieu Manor, Waterford, Ellen Carew, widow of the late T. W. Anderson, and only surviving child of Anthony La Touche Kirwan, sometime Dean of Limerick. Funeral will arrive at the Abbey Church, Waterford, at 12 noon to-day (Saturday) for interment.

BRENNAN—April 5, 1944, at her residence, 103 Richmond road, Drumcondra, Dublin, Rosanne, widow of Charles Brennan and mother of the Rev. E. F. Brennan, C.C. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing children and grandchildren. R.I.P. Funeral from residence to Glasnevin to-day (Saturday) at 10 a.m. Requiem Mass in the Church of the Visitation, Fairview, on Monday next, April 10th, at 10 a.m.

CLARENDON—April 4, 1944, at Sandycove, Co. Dublin, Mary Louisa, widow of Frederick Villiers Nassau Clarendon, aged 90 years. Funeral private.

FAHY (*née* Dawson)—April 6, 1944, Wilhelmina Kathleen (Wilma), darling wife of Geoffrey Fahy, 28 Fortfield road, Terenure, and only daughter of Mrs. Levie, 60 Grosvenor road. Funeral arriving Mount Jerome Cemetery 12.15 o'clock to-day (Saturday). No letters, please.

KING—April 6, 1944, at County Hospital, Teresa Agnes, relict of the late James J. King, Harbour street, Mullingar. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing family. R.I.P. Funeral from Cathedral of Christ the King to-day (Saturday) at 2 o'c. (S.T.) to Walshestown Cemetery.

McDONALD—April 6, 1944, at her residence, Brunker Lodge, Blackrock, Dundalk, Margaret Rose, beloved wife of John R. McDonald. House and funeral private.

PALLIN—March 24, 1944 (suddenly), at Bunratty, Cratloe, Co. Clare, Anne Windsor, eldest daughter of the late Major S. L. Pallin, Kilcullen, Co. Kildare.

REVELL—March 31, 1944, at West Middlesex Hospital, London, after short illness, Sarah Jane, beloved wife of Richard John Revell, Glen Cairn, 47 Thorney Hedge road, Gunnersbury, London, W.4. Deeply regretted by her loving husband and family. "Safe in the Arms of Jesus."

SEYMOUR—April 7, 1944, at 31 Melrose avenue, Fairview, Dublin, Annabella, widow of Richard Angwin Seymour. Funeral strictly private. "Underneath are the Everlasting Arms."

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this colum will be found on Page 3.

IN MEMORIAM.

DONEGAN—First Anniversary — In loving memory of Mrs. Kathleen Donegan, late of Cintra, George's avenue, Blackrock, who died April 8th, 1943. R.I.P.

JACKSON—In loving memory of darling Francis. "Nearer, my God, to Thee."—E. M. J.

MAHON—In loving memory of Benjamin (Ben), who died 8th April, 1943. Sadly missed by his loving mother, brother and sisters. "Peace, perfect peace."

MALCOLM—In loving memory of John Malcolm, Sutton, Co. Dublin, who departed this life April 7th, 1942. Sadly missed by his loving family.

PROCTOR—In loving memory of dad, called to rest 8th April, 1943.—Kathleen, Austin and children.

PROCTOR—In loving memory of William Proctor, who died April 8th, 1943.—Inserted by his daughters.

SHAKESPEARE—First Anniversary—In loving memory of my dear husband, Richard, late of 172 Curlew road, Drimnagh, who died April 8, 1943. On whose soul, Sweet Jesus, have mercy. Masses offered.

"The year has passed swiftly by,
But still we don't forget;
For in the hearts that really loved you
Your memory lingers yet."

—Inserted by his loving wife, sons, daughters and grandchildren.

WOLFE—In affectionate memory of Hilda, who fell asleep 9th April, 1936. Rev. xxi., 4.

WOLFE—In ever-loving memory of Hilda Wolfe, called Home April 9th, 1936. "I know that my Redeemer liveth."—Job 19, 25.

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EASTER HOLIDAYS.

OUR Warehouses and Offices will be CLOSED from Thursday Evening, April 6th, to Tuesday Morning, April 11th inst.

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"BATTERSBY'S AUCTIONS."
See Page Five.

WANTED—House, Bray, July and August; state rent and accommodation.—Box R 358.

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MONKSTOWN—"Cnoc Muire," 2 Seafield avenue. Sale by Auction. Date later. Further particulars and order to view, from Stokes & Quirke, Auctioneers, 33 Kildare street, Dublin. Phone 64895.

INCOME TAX—Accounts Prepared, Audited and Certified for Income Tax purposes. British Tax Recovered. Consult T. J. TAYLOR, Qualified Accountant, 4 Osborne terrace, Northbrook road, Leeson Park, Dublin.

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AUCTIONS.

AUCTION, 18th APRIL, at Three o'clock, at BALLYMONEY, GOREY, CO. WEXFORD, DANCE HALL, 60ft. x 20ft., galvanised structure, with good floor. Held free of Rent. For Mr. Patrick Spencer, Administrator of the Estate of Michael Spencer, Decd.

GEO. W. WARREN & CO., LTD., M.I.A.A., Auctioneers, GOREY, ENNISCORTHY AND NEWTOWNBARRY.

JACKSON STOPS & McCABE

KINDLY NOTE OUR OFFICES ARE CLOSED FOR THE EASTER HOLIDAYS UNTIL TUESDAY, 11th.

AUCTION SALE, THURSDAY NEXT, 13th APRIL, 1944 AT OUR COLLEGE GREEN SALEROOMS, at 2.30 p.m.,

FEE-SIMPLE GROUND RENTS AMOUNTING TO £40 16s. 0d. PER ANNUM

OUT OF PREMISES 65 to 71 (INCL.) BLESSINGTON STREET, THREE COLLECTIONS.

TOTAL P.L.V., £165.
Further particulars and Conditions of Sale from the Solicitors: Messrs. MILEY & MILEY, 12 South Frederick Street, Dublin; or from the Auctioneers.

FOR AUCTION ON THE SAME DATE,

194 RATHGAR ROAD, DUBLIN.

On the tram line, close to Rathmines shopping centre. Brick-built, non-basement House, containing 2 reception rooms, 3 bedrooms, maid's room, bathroom and w.c., kitchen with sink and independent boiler. Outside, 2 coalhouses, w.c. Garden with back entrance. VACANT POSSESSION.
Held in perpetuity, subject to a perpetual Fee-farm Rent of £13 5s. 4d. per annum. Poor Law Valuation, £22.
Further particulars and Conditions of Sale from the Solicitors: Messrs. WEBB & WEBB, 1 Suffolk Street, Dublin; or from the Auctioneers.

FOR AUCTION ON THE SAME DATE:

13 FINGLAS ROAD, GLASNEVIN.

(UNLESS PREVIOUSLY SOLD).

Close to bus service and Glasnevin shopping centre. Open aspect. Substantial, red-brick House, containing 2 reception rooms, 5 bedrooms, attic room, bathroom, kitchen, 2 w.c.s; garden and back entrance. VACANT POSSESSION. View by appointment with the Auctioneers. P.L.V., £25. Held on Lease for 400 years from 1904, subject to £4 per annum.
Further particulars and Conditions of Sale from the Solicitors: Messrs. EUGENE F. COLLINS & SON, 19 Eustace Street, Dublin; or from the Auctioneers.

THE FINE ARTS.

AUCTION AT OUR COLLEGE GREEN GALLERIES On FRIDAY NEXT, 14th APRIL, 1944, at 12 Noon: FINE ART, ANTIQUE AND REPRODUCTION FURNITURE AND JEWELLERY.

As follows: Handsome Chippendale Mahogany Oval Dining Table, very fine Set of 10 Adam-design Dining Chairs, Chippendale Mahogany Enclosed Sideboard, Axminster and Wilton Carpets, Gent's Mahogany Wardrobes, Antique Bureaus and Bookcases, fine quality Chesterfield Suite, Inlaid Wardrobe, Georgian Dining Table, Antique Rent Table, Scale Model Boat, Mahogany Office Writing Table, Coffee Tables, Nelson Sideboard, Mahogany Hall Table, Ladies' Gold Watches, Antique French Brooches, small Chesterfield Suite, 4 Georgian Dining Chairs, Inlaid Mahogany Hall Chair; Occasional Elbow Chairs, upholstered in tapestry; Challon Piano. Oil Paintings and Water-Colours by and after Murillo A. Essavlov, Maurice Wilks, Sebastian de Piombo, Wilkie, Nesbitt, Craig, Correggio, Carovaggio, etc., etc.
On View day previous from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Terms—Cash and 5 per cent. Auction Fees.

BY DIRECTION OF J. B. JOHNSTONE LTD., TAILORS AND OUTFITTERS (IRISH BUSINESS BEING CLOSED DOWN).

HIGHLY IMPORTANT AUCTION SALE On WEDNESDAY, 19th APRIL, 1944, AT OUR COLLEGE GREEN SALEROOMS, at 2.30 p.m.,

THE IMPOSING BUSINESS PREMISES, 32 MOLESWORTH STREET, DUBLIN.

HELD UNDER FEE-FARM GRANT.

A CORNER OF THE PREMISES SHOWING THE ENTRANCE.

These are very extensive Premises, at present used by Messrs. J. B. Johnstone Ltd., as a High-class Tailoring Establishment. There is a frontage of about 33 feet, and depth about 200 feet to Schoolhouse Lane. As at present arranged the Ground Floor consists of large top-lighted Showrooms, several Fitting Rooms, ample lavatory accommodation. At the back are the large top-lighted Workrooms, Ironing Rooms, with stove for heating irons, and further lavatory accommodation. The combined Ground Floor is large enought to use as a Ballroom, Concert Hall, Skating Rink, small Theatre or Cinema, Assembly Rooms, Lecture Hall, and many other purposes. There are few premises in the City of Dublin affording such magnificent Ground Floor accommodation, top-lighted throughout. Extensive Basement, with Strong Room and Furnace Room, fitted with boiler. The premises are fitted with and heated by central heating throughout. Vacant Possession of the foregoing accommodation will be given to a purchaser.
At the rear, in Schoolhouse Lane, there is a small house (2 rooms, w.c., and yard), and large garage (6 cars), with double entrance. This portion is let to Mrs. Singleton on a verbal agreement at £24 per annum, inclusive of rates.
There are three floors above the front portion of the premises, and are afforded a separate entrance. On the First Floor there are three rooms and w.c. (in the occupation of Messrs. W. H. Meredith & Son, Solicitors). Second Floor comprises three rooms and w.c. (in occupation of Mr. Fintan Burke, Solicitor). Both these floors are let under one yearly tenancy agreement at a rent of £200 per annum, landlord paying rates. The Top Floor contains three rooms and w.c.s. One of these rooms, together with the exclusive use of 2 w.c.s, is included in the letting to Messrs. W. H. Meredith and Son. The remaining 2 rooms and w.c. are occupied by a caretaker.
At present, therefore, there is an income of £224 (landlord paying rates) from the two sub-lettings. The P.L.V. of the Ground Floor and Basement is £116. Upper Portion £63 10s. 0d. The whole premises are in a good state of preservation and repair. They were originally held under a Lease for 999 years from 1842, subject to an adjusted Ground Rent of £24 17s. 4d. In 1904 Messrs. J. B. Johnstone Ltd. purchased the Fee-Farm Rent of £6 19s. 8d., so that they now hold under Fee-farm Grant at a net rent of £17 17s. 8d., which is the difference between the adjusted Ground Rent of £24 17s. 4d. and the Fee-farm Rent of £6 19s. 8d. receivable. There are no restrictions as to user. View only by special appointment with the Auctioneers.
Further particulars and Conditions of Sale from the Solicitors:— Messrs. EUGENE F. COLLINS & SON, 19 Eustace Street, Dublin; or from the Auctioneers.

INNISFAIL, 27 AILESBURY PARK, BALLSBRIDGE.

The Auctioneers have Sold this Property prior to the Auction

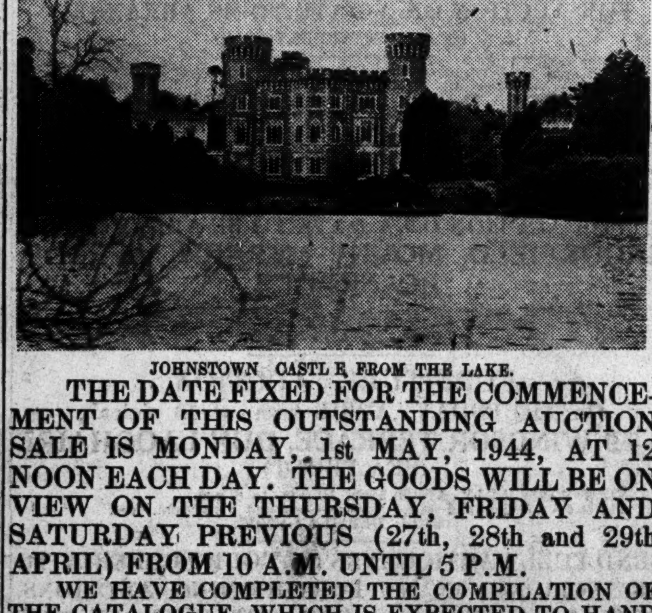
PRELIMINARY NOTICE.
FOR AUCTION AT A DATE TO BE ANNOUNCED.

BELGARD, BALALLEY HILL, SANDYFORD, CO. DUBLIN.

A unique model Bungalow Residence of particular charm, standing on 2½ acres of beautifully laid-out gardens, and commanding a panoramic view of Dublin Bay. The accommodation is briefly as follows:—Lounge hall, 3 reception rooms, 5 bedrooms (h. and c.), 2 bathrooms, kitchen, with A.B. cooker; pantries, 2 greenhouses, out-buildings, etc. E.S.B. lighting. View by appointment with the Auctioneers.
Further particulars and photograph in later advertisements.

BY DIRECTION OF THE EXECUTORS OF THE LATE LADY MAURICE FITZGERALD.

IMPORTANT FINE ART AND ANTIQUE FURNITURE SALE AT JOHNSTOWN CASTLE, WEXFORD.



JOHNSTOWN CASTLE FROM THE LAKE.

THE DATE FIXED FOR THE COMMENCEMENT OF THIS OUTSTANDING AUCTION SALE IS MONDAY, 1st MAY, 1944, AT 12 NOON EACH DAY. THE GOODS WILL BE ON VIEW ON THE THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY PREVIOUS (27th, 28th and 29th APRIL) FROM 10 A.M. UNTIL 5 P.M.

WE HAVE COMPLETED THE COMPILATION OF THE CATALOGUE, WHICH IS EXPECTED TO HAND FROM THE PRINTERS ON TUESDAY NEXT, AND WILL BE AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC AT 2/6 PER COPY (POSTAGE 3d.). ADMISSION TO THE VIEW AND SALE WILL BE BY CATALOGUE ONLY.

FULLY LICENSED BAR AND REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE DURING DAYS OF VIEW AND SALE.

FURTHER INFORMATION REGARDING THIS MOST IMPORTANT SALE CAN BE HAD FROM THE AUCTIONEERS AT THEIR OFFICES IN COLLEGE GREEN, DUBLIN, OR FROM THE SOLICITORS FOR THE EXECUTORS, MESSRS. THOMAS CROZIER & SON, 14 ELY PLACE, DUBLIN.

Auctioneers:
JACKSON STOPS & McCABE (ARTHUR W. McCABE, F.A.I., M.I.A.A.), COLLEGE GREEN, DUBLIN. TELEPHONE 21601 (2 Lines).

ETCHINGHAM & CO.

AUCTION 12th APRIL, AT 2.30 P.M.

CORRYMELA, BAILY, SUTTON.

Detached, modern Residence, facing S.W., well protected from East and North winds; gardens tastefully laid-out; overlooking Dublin Bay. The accommodation consists of 2 reception, 4 bedrooms, kitchen and bathroom, separate w.c.; Garage and Out-offices. Electric Cooker and Immersion Heater.
Lease 500 years. Ground Rent, £8. P.L.V., £26.
For further particulars and order to View apply to D. P. MORRIS, Esq., Solicitor, 68 Dame Street; or to the AUCTIONEERS:

ETCHINGHAM & CO., AUCTIONEERS & VALUERS, 9 LOWER BAGGOT STREET, DUBLIN. PHONE 62295.

ARCHBOLD, CORRY & O'CONNOR'S SALES

THURSDAY NEXT, 13th APRIL, at Noon, ON THE PREMISES,

2 ARRANMORE AVENUE, PHIBSBOROUGH. ALSO RESIDUE OF FURNITURE.

Compact Residence, possession, 5 apartments, yards, w.c., coal store, bicycle shed, electric and gas. Lease 124½ years from 1924. Rent, £5. P.L.V., £15
FRANK J. ALLEN, Solicitor, 43 Dame Street.

SALES AT 10 LOWER ORMOND QUAY, NEXT FRIDAY, 14th APRIL, at 2 o'clock,

COMPACT CENTRAL CITY BAR, 16 TRINITY STREET

(OFF COLLEGE GREEN AND DAME STREET)
(Per instructions of Mr. P. J. OSBORNE, who is retiring on medical advice).
Lease 999 years from 1833. Rent, £44 4s. 0d. P.L.V., £80.
Very select business position, a few doors from Dame Street and College Green. Particulars of trading may be inspected at Auctioneer's Office.
JAMES J. O'CONNOR, Solicitor, 34 Upper Ormond Quay.

CITY SEVEN-DAY LICENSED PREMISES, 20 PARNELL STREET.

Lease 150 years from 1819. Rent, £17 12s. 8d. P.L.V., £40.
(Per instructions of Mr. H. McMENAMIN.)
Comprising: Four-storey, red-brick Premises at the corner of Jervis Street.
MAURICE E. VEALE, Solicitor, 6 Lower Baggot Street.

CO. DUBLIN LICENSED PREMISES, COACH AND HORSES, DUBLIN RD., BRAY

(OWING TO DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP).
Lease 99 years from 1895. Annual Rent, £9. P.L.V., £30.
Well-situated, corner Premises, combining good business and residential accommodation; large garden, about 80ft. in length; well-appointed spirit bar, lounge room and stores. Annual rent, rates and licence duty amount to about £1 3s. 0d. weekly. Particulars of trading from Auctioneers.
LIAM CAFFERKY, Solicitor, 31 Upper O'Connell Street.

TUESDAY, 18th APRIL, at 11.30,

LICENSED GROCER'S TRADE UTENSILS, BAR FURNISHINGS, FRIGIDAIRE, PONY, TRAP AND HARNESS, LIVESTOCK AND HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE, TOYS, ELECTRIC TRAIN, Etc., AT HARTY'S, DUNSHAUGHLIN.

HAVING sold the licensed premises, we have been further instructed to dispose of the following:—Avery Counter Scales, Bar tables and bentwood chairs, corking machine, cork extractors, corks, lapping paper, anthracite stove, Avery sack scales, gent's bicycle, Frigidaire (G.E.C. 6.2 cubic feet, 84 ice cubes, 110 volt, with transformer), fast driving pony (13 hands) quiet in all harness; round inside rubber-tyred trap, as new, complete with cushions and lamps, harness, spring van and van harness; cow due to calve in April, milking cow, 2 yearling bullocks, 1 heifer calf (4 months), garden tools, farmyard manure. The Furniture consists of: Superior mahogany bedroom suite, mahogany bedstead and interior spring mattress, oak twin bedsteads, American Persian-pattern Carpets (9 x 12), Axminster carpets, stair carpeting and rugs, blankets, bed and table linen, child's cot, lady's fur coat, 3-piece Chesterfield suite, walnut blanket chest (cedarwood lined), Singer sewing machine in walnut cabinet, with motor; American sterling silver cutlery and table ware kitchen furniture and utensils, electric toaster and iron, electric coffee percolator &c. on tray, electric waffle iron (110 volt), G.E.C. battery wireless set, toys, snow sleigh, and miscellaneous effects, which will be on view on Monday, 17th April, from 10 o'c. to 5 p.m. Purchasers to pay 5% auction fees. Admission to View and Sale. 1/-, refundable to purchasers. Shercock bus (Aston's Quay), 10 a.m.

SALES AT 10 LOWER ORMOND QUAY, FRIDAY, 21st APRIL, at 2 o'clock,

THE SUMMIT HOTEL AND THE SUMMIT INN, HILL OF HOWTH, CO. DUBLIN. VALUABLE LICENSED HOLDINGS AND DANCE HALL

(IN ONE LOT):

ALSO PLOT OF BUILDING GROUND ADJACENT

(Formerly the Property of the late Mr. FRANCIS HUGH CASSIDY).

THE SUMMIT HOTEL, with Hotel Licence, standing on about 3 roods 20 perches (Statute Measure), is held under Lease for 999 years from 1895, at the yearly adjusted rent of £14 2s. 0d. Poor Law Valuations: Buildings £60, Land 10s. Two-storey structure, comprising spacious entrance hall; diningroom, with seating capacity for 127 persons; service bar convenient to diningroom, two reception and breakfast rooms, 11 visitors' bedrooms; spacious, well-appointed kitchen; scullery, larder, bathroom, w.c.s and lavatories. From the balcony and verandah there are charming views of Dublin Bay, Dun Laoghaire and Harbour, Dalkey Island and Ireland's Eye. The Dance Hall, recently constructed in compliance with Corporation requirements, measures about 3,000 square feet, and is licensed for 400 persons. Adjoining the Hotel is a corner, well-fitted shop, in which confectionery business is conducted: portion of this shop is reserved for the purpose of Post Office business.
THE SUMMIT INN, standing on about 1 acre, with licence attached for sale of beer and wines, is held under Lease for 999 years from 1895, at the yearly adjusted rent of £8 1s. 0d. Poor Law Valuation, £30. Comprises: Bar, 60ft. in length; grocery department, paddock with stores, bottling houses and garage, petrol filling station, etc.
The Properties, remotely placed from other licensed concerns, are situate on the Summit of Howth, at the corner of Thormanby Road and the road leading to the old Baily Light, opposite the Summit Tram Station. Normal tram and train services offer exceptional facilities to visit Howth—perhaps the most popular and readily reached health and holiday resort in the vicinity of Dublin. The immense concourse of visitors to the Summit augment on a large scale the business of these establishments, which yields a substantial rate of profit.
Particulars of quotas and trading will be available for inspection.
Furniture, Stock-in-Trade, Frigidaire, Soda Fountain, and other equipment may be taken over at valuation.
B. Building Site, opposite the Summit Hotel, comprising 1 acre 2 roods (S.M.). Lease 999 years from 1928, at £24 per annum. P.L.V., 15s.
Further particulars and Conditions of Sale from:
CULLEN & O'BEIRNE, Solicitors, 2 Inns Quay.

FRIDAY, 28th APRIL, 2 o'clock,
EXECUTORS' SALE.
Estate of Catherine (Lillie) Fitzpatrick, Deceased.

FITZPATRICK'S MONUMENTAL WORKS, FINGLAS ROAD, GLASNEVIN; ALSO RESIDENTIAL PROPERTIES AT FINGLAS ROAD AND PHILIPSBURGH AVENUE.

LOT 1.—Fitzpatrick's Monumental Works, Glasnevin, having a frontage of 80 feet to Finglas road, with rear entrance from Prospect avenue, held under lease for 500 years from 1883 at £60 yearly, but primarily liable to £36 thereof; also a plot of ground adjoining, held under lease for 500 years from 1897, at yearly rent of £20, but indemnified therefrom. The goodwill (if any) in the business, conducted for about 70 years, will be included in the sale.
LOT 2.—12 Finglas Road. Lease, 500 years from 1883, at £8 yearly. Let to monthly tenant at £58 18s. 0d. yearly, landlord paying rates. P.L.V., £18.
LOT 3.—14 Finglas Road. Lease, 500 years from 1897, at £5 yearly. Let to monthly tenant at £58 18s 0d. yearly, landlord paying rates. P.L.V., £18.
LOT 4.—£4 yearly out of 16 Finglas Road. Lease, 500 years from 1897, indemnified against rent, sub-leased for 280 years at £4 per annum. P.L.V., £16.
LOT 5.—18 Finglas Road. Lease, 500 years from 1897, at £5 yearly. Let to monthly tenant at £44 2s. 0d. yearly, landlord paying rates. P.L.V., £16
LOT 6.—20 Finglas Road. Lease, 500 years from 1897, at £5 yearly. Let to monthly tenant at £44 12s 0d yearly, landlord paying rates. P.L.V., £16.
LOT 7.—22 Finglas Road. Lease, 500 years from 1897, at £5 yearly. Let to monthly tenant at £44 17s. 0d. yearly, landlord paying rates. P.L.V., £16.
LOT 8.—31 Philipsburgh Avenue, Fairview. Held under Fee-farm grant for ever, will be sold subject to £2 yearly. Let to monthly tenant at £50 10s. 0d. yearly, landlord paying rates. P.L.V., £19.
LOT 9.—35 Philipsburgh Avenue. Tenure and rent similar to Lot 8. Let to monthly tenant at £60 yearly, landlord paying rates. P.L.V., £19.
LOT 10.—£6 yearly out of 37 Philipsburgh Avenue. Held under Fee-farm for ever, free of rent, and leased for 250 years at £6 per annum. P.L.V., £19.
LOT 11.—49 Philipsburgh Avenue. Tenure and rent similar to Lot 8. Let to weekly tenant at £67 12s 0d. yearly, landlord paying rates. P.L.V., £19.
LOT 12.—£4 10s. 0d. yearly out of 55 Philipsburgh Avenue. Tenure and rent similar to Lot 8. Leased for 390 years from 1922, at £6 10s. 0d. per annum. P.L.V., £19.
Conditions of Sale from CROWLEY, BOLGER & CUSACK, Solicitors, 3 and 4 Lower O'Connell Street, Dublin.

ARCHBOLD, CORRY & O'CONNOR, AUCTIONEERS & VALUERS, M.I.A.A., 10 LOWER ORMOND QUAY, DUBLIN.

ALLEN & TOWNSEND.

PROPERTY AUCTION, WEDNESDAY, 19th APRIL (UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF).

11 FAIRFIELD PARK, HIGHFIELD ROAD, RATHGAR. VACANT POSSESSION.

A delightful, brick-built, non-basement, semi-detached, two-storey House, with bay windows to ground and first floors; ideally situate in quiet position adjoining Terenure and Dartry tram lines, and close to churches, shops and schools.
The rooms are large, and of a size seldom found in modern houses, yet the House is compact and easily run. The generous accommodation comprises: Large drawingroom with bay window and folding doors to diningroom, which has French window to garden; five bedrooms, all of good size, and one 20' x 14' with bay window; bathroom and separate w.c., maid's room, tiled kitchen, pantries, separate scullery, turf house; nice garden at rear, side entrance. Electricity and gas are laid on. Special features include power plugs and telephone.
Held under long Lease, subject to £7 10s. 0d. p.a. P.L.V. only £32.
Seen 3 to 5 o'c. daily; or by appointment with the Auctioneers.
Messrs CARTAN O'MEARA & KIERAN 12 Clare St., Solicitors having Carriage of Sale.

EXECUTORS' SALE.

ATTRACTIVE INVESTMENT, PRODUCING £110 P.A. NET.

WE are instructed to offer the LEASEHOLD INTEREST in Nos. 1-7 (inclusive) CONNAUGHT PLACE, CLONSKEAGH, as follows:—

No 2 Connaught Place, let in three Flats at rents totalling, p.a. ...				£156	0	0
Ground Rents out of Nos. 1 and 3-7 (inclusive) Connaught Place totalling, p.a.				77	3	0
				£233	3	0
Deduct: Rates on 2 Connaught Place	£38	3	0			
Ground Rent or 1-7 Connaught Place ...	85	0	0			
				123	3	0
Profit Rent				£110	0	0

The entire Premises are held under Lease for 900 years from 1899. 2 Connaught Place is a three-storey, double-fronted, non-basement, brick House, divided into three Flats, and fully let at very moderate rents. P.L.V., £37 (re-valued).
Further details from the Auctioneers; or: Messrs. McCRACKEN & SON, 94 Grafton Street, Solicitors having Carriage of Sale.

SHANID, 47 BRIGHTON ROAD, RATHGAR.

VACANT POSSESSION. LOW OUTGOINGS.
One of these splendid, semi-detached, brick, non-basement Houses, with unrivalled transport facilities, adjoining tram and bus routes, and close to shops and churches. The accommodation comprises 2 reception rooms with folding doors, six bedrooms, maid's room, tiled kitchen with gas cooker, 2 greenhouses. Garage, with splendid approach from Tower Avenue. Outside w.c. and turf houses. Nice garden. Electricity, power plugs, and telephone.
Open To-day, 3-5; or key with us.
Held under Lease for 999 years from 1876, subject to a rent of £5 13s. 10d. p.a. P.L.V., £40.
Messrs. WOODCOCK & SONS 28 Molesworth St., Solicitors having Carriage of Sale.

INTERESTING FURNITURE AUCTION, APRIL 27th, KILLESTER ABBEY.
FULL DETAILS NEXT WEEK.

ALLEN & TOWNSEND F.S.I., F.A.I., M.I.A.A., Auctioneers, Chartered Surveyors and Valuers, 10 STEPHEN'S GREEN, DUBLIN. Phone 72691/2.

JAMES H. NORTH & CO.'S SALES AT 110 GRAFTON STREET.

TUESDAY, 18th APRIL,

THE WHITE HOUSE, 1 RIVERSDALE AVE., BUSHY PARK ROAD

(UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF BY PRIVATE TREATY).

Pleasantly situated, detached House, modern, non-basement, with garden and garage; drawingroom with door to garden, diningroom, study, four bedrooms (one with h. & c. and door to verandah), bathroom, heated linen press with immersion heater, kitchen with Beeston boiler and New World gas cooker. Close to tram.
Lease 240 years from 1936, subject to £13 per annum. P.L.V., £28.
A. FORREST HUSSEY, LL.B., Solicitor, 4 Leinster Street, South.

CITY INVESTMENT.

13 FOWNES STREET.

A fine, modern Building, recently reconstructed, central heating; side walk opening for goods entrance; frontage 21 feet, depth about 55 feet; three floors, and dry concrete floored basement.
Held for 250 years from July, 1908, subject to £20 per annum. Sub-leased for 20 years from 1st February, 1936, at £325 per annum, landlord paying rates. P.L.V., £65, and showing a present profit rent over head rent and rates of about £239 per annum. An attractive Investment in well-situated, modern premises.
VINCENT & BEATTY, Solicitors, 62 Dame Street.

WELL SECURED PROFIT RENT.

£12 10s. 0d. PER ANNUM well-secured PROFIT RENT, 5 & 6 McMAHON STREET, SOUTH CIRCULAR ROAD. Held for 900 years from 1875, subject to £6 6s. 0d. per annum, now adjusted to £6 1s. 0d.
NO. 5 has been sub-leased for 850 years from 1921 at £6 1s. 0d., and NO. 6 for 99 years from 1943, at £12 10s. 0d. per annum.
Messrs. BEAUCHAMP & ORR, Solicitors, 5 Foster Place.

MISS RACHEL MAHAFFY, Deceased.

63 PARK AVENUE, SIDNEY PARADE.

One of the most attractive Houses in the district. It is semi-detached, double-fronted, non-basement, and has the advantage of open grounds at the rear and side; has garage, large garden, and is generally in good order. The accommodation: Drawingroom, with front and side windows; study, diningroom with service hatch, four bedrooms (two of them having front and side windows), maid's room, two bathrooms, kitchen with range, pantry with hot and cold water. Electric light.
A few yards from bus terminus, and within 4 minutes' walk of Strand Road. Will be Sold with vacant possession.
Held for 150 years from 29th September, 1863, subject to £6 5s. 0d. per annum. P.L.V., £37.
MAXWELL, WELDON & CO., Solicitors, 15 Eden Quay.

SALE TUESDAY, 25th APRIL.
EXECUTOR'S SALE.

6 BURDETT AVENUE, SANDYCOVE.

Attractively situated House, close to Sandycove point, and within two minutes' walk of Dalkey tram line. House contains drawingroom, diningroom, six bedrooms, maid's room, bathroom, sep. w.c. Held for 60 years from 25th March, 1905, subject to £20 per annum. P.L.V., £32. Will be Sold with vacant possession.

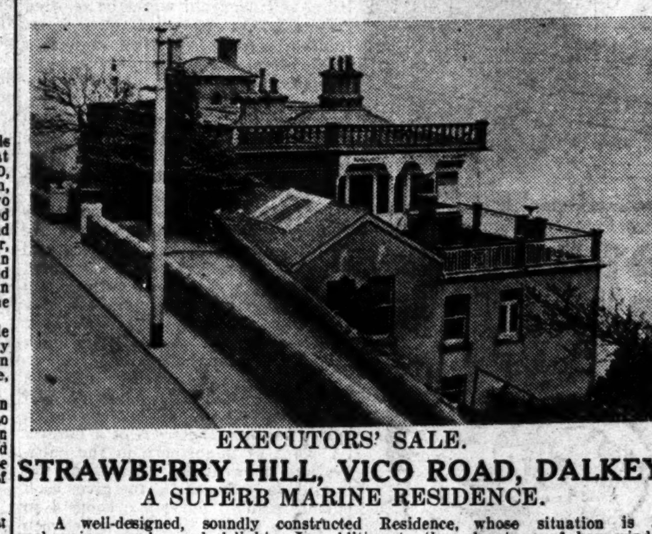
£39 9 8 PER ANNUM

Payable out of 8 USHER'S ISLAND and 24 ISLAND STREET. Held for 999 years from 1736, subject to a rent now adjusted to £5 15s. 4d. for both. No. 8 Usher's Island is let on Lease for 99 years from 1926, at £40 per annum, tenant paying rates. 24 Island Street is an attractive, double-fronted, one-storey Residence, sub-leased for 150 years from 1895, at £5 5s. per annum. The plot of ground on which both premises stand has a frontage to Usher's Island of about 20 feet, to Island Street of about 45 feet, and a depth from front to rear of 240 feet. The profit rent offers an attractive investment.

£8 PER ANNUM

Payable out of the Premises and Plot of Ground, 19 ISLAND STREET (rear of Usher's Island). Held free of rent for life renewable for ever, and sub-leased for 100 years from 1890, at £8 per annum.
T. T. MECREDY & SON, Solicitors, 91 Merrion Square.

SALE TUESDAY, 2nd MAY.



EXECUTORS' SALE.

STRAWBERRY HILL, VICO ROAD, DALKEY. A SUPERB MARINE RESIDENCE.

A well-designed, soundly constructed Residence, whose situation is an unchanging wonder and delight. In addition to the advantage of bay window on the sea-side of the house, a spacious sitting-out platform is one of the principal attractions of this lovely home. The accommodation includes a sun room, drawingroom with bay window, diningroom and study, eight family bedrooms, two bathrooms, maid's room, kitchen with Beeston boiler, gas cooker; laundry and pantries.
The Residence and 3 roods 15 perches are held in Fee-simple, free of rent, and a strip of ground is held for 999 years from 29th September, 1853, subject to £20 per annum. The Fee-simple grounds include pleasure grounds, garden, and a plot with good frontage to Vico Road, which could be built on without interfering with the residence. The offices include garage, and there are also living rooms, which are let at £39 per annum.
Orders to view from Auctioneers.
LONGFIELD, JAMESON & HAMILTON, Solicitors, 25 Clare Street.

FINE ART SALE, COMMENCING WEDNESDAY NEXT, AT ROOMS, 110 GRAFTON STREET.

SILVER: Antique Tankards, including one in carved ivory and mountings; Centrepieces, Tea Urn, Cream Jugs, Bowls, Cups, Candlesticks, Spoons and Forks, Trays, etc.; also Old Sheffield Oval Salver and other Sheffield; Set of Tureens, Candelabra, Coasters, Salvers, Tea Sets, Coffee Pots, Vegetable Dishes.
JEWELLERY: Important Diamond Collet Necklace, Pair Diamond Star Brooches; Diamond and other Jewellery in Rings, Brooches, Bracelets, Pendants, and other Stones mounted in Gold.
PICTURES: Oil Paintings, Engravings in Mezzotint and Colours, Drawings, and usual Pictures of interest.
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AUCTION TUESDAY, 18th APRIL

THE HOUSE FINDER.

WILL INCLUDE

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67, 68 KENILWORTH SQ., RATHMINES. No. 68 (vacant) fine family, red-brick House, adjoining tram and R.C. church. Containing: Drawingroom, diningroom, 3 bedrooms, breakfast room, maid's room, bath (h.c.), kitchen; e.l. Large garden, garage. No. 67, substantial corner House, similar to above. Let to excellent tenant at £100 and Rates. Gr. Rent, £28 each. Lease 800 years. P.L.V., £31 and £35.—H. J. O'HAGAN-WARD, Solicitor, 62 Dawson Street.

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CABRA
ROSARIO, 235 NAVAN ROAD. Choice semi-detached House, in excellent repair, facing Belvedere Sports Grounds. Contains drawingroom, diningroom (french door to garden), 4 bedrooms, bathroom, sep. w.c., boarded kitchen, e.l., gas. Large walled-in fruit and vegetable garden, garage, side entrance. Gr. rent, £8 10s. P.L.V., £21. Lease, 900 years.

LEESON ST.
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DRUMCONDRA
18 ST. PATRICK'S RD., DRUMCONDRA. Neat, red-brick, two-storey, bay-window House, which has been completely re-decorated at considerable expense. Contains: Sitting-room, living room, 3 bedrooms, large kitchenette; e.l., gas. Garden; rear entrance. Gr. Rent, £8. Long Lease. Keys No. 20.—C. J. REDDY & SON, Solicitors, 14 Westland Row.

INVESTMENTS
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BETWEEN 500 and 750 Flyi... Fortresses and Liberato... with probably from 750 ... 1,000 covering fighters, yesterd... made one of the greatest flights ... the war over German territo... They struck at aircraft factori... from the German Baltic coast ... Posen in Poland, a Press Associ... tion message stated last night.

Fierce battles raged almost ... day. Within a few hours of G... many's Lachtung Radio reporti... that the last R.A.F. Mosquito ni... bombers had left after attacki... Essen and other objectives in W... and North-West Germany, power... formations of American ... bombers were reported approachi... from many different points, inclu... ing the north and the Baltic.

The warnings continued, sa... Reuter, from ten o'clock in ... morning until four in the afterno... and air combats were reported o... Kiel, Mecklenberg and Pommer... Aircraft factories were attacked ... Tutow, 35 miles beyond Rosto... on the Baltic coast. Warnemun... the Baltic, Marienburg in E... Prussia, 200 miles north-east ... Berlin, near Danzig.

ESSEN RAID

A British Air Ministry co... muniqué yesterday stated: "... Saturday night, Mosquitoes ... Bomber Command attacked Es... and other objectives in West ... North-West Germany. Mines w... laid in enemy waters. None of ... aircraft is missing."

An announcement from the H... U.S. Strategic Air Forces in Euro... yesterday stated that strong for... of Flying Fortresses and Liberat... of the 8th Air Force attacked ... craft factories at Tutow, War... mund and Marienburg, in Germa... and Posen, in Poland, yesterd... Mustangs, Lightnings and Thund... bolts of the 8th and 9th Air Forc... in very great strength, provid... escort and support for the bombe...

The German communiqué sta... last night that 87 American plan... of which 65 were four-engin... bombers, were brought down ... German fighters and flak artillery...

Thirteen American aircraft w... shot down over Denmark yesterd... according to the Swedish Ra... Bombs were dropped at Slage... but no damage was caused. O... Western Aaland seven aircraft, ... of them bombers, were said to h... crashed, one of them in the vill... of Melltofte, the crew of which w... killed.—(Reuter.)

A Stockholm message says t... thirteen four-engined U.S. bom... made forced landings in Swe... yesterday following the raid ... Germany. Six of the machines c... down at Malmoe and three ... Rinkeby. The crews of ten pla... numbering approximately 100, w... reported unhurt.—(Associated Pr...

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